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NEW QUARANTINE LAWS.

The United States Adopting Extraordinary Precautions to Avoid Trouble.

Colon Declares Quarantine Against Marseilles—Atchison's New President.

Canadian Consular Agent—Resumption of Atlantic Steerage Traffic.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—In accordance with the new quarantine laws, Secretary of the Treasury Foster will to-morrow issue a circular of instructions giving the sanitary regulations to be enforced at the port of departure and to be observed on the vessel during the voyage and also embracing the rules governing the national quarantine stations in the United States. They were prepared by a board of medical officers selected by Surgeon General Wyman. Every vessel, passenger or freight bound for the United States must carry a proscribed bill of health, given either by the United States consul or a medical officer detailed by the President at the port of departure. In case the vessel sails from an infected port an inspection must precede the granting of the bill of health and an inspection is required in the case of every passenger vessel sailing from any port in Europe, Asia, Africa, Central or South America, Mexico or the West Indies, whether the port is infected or not. Each cabin passenger must produce evidence as to his place of abode for four days previous to embarkation, and if he has been exposed to contagion will be detained for a term to be fixed by the inspector and his baggage disinfected. Steerage passengers shipping from an infected port are to be detained five days under medical observation in specially provided quarantine quarters. They are to be bathed at the beginning of the term and provided with disinfected clothing. If cholera should break out among them while under observation, none of them will be allowed to embark for the United States until at least seven days have elapsed since the conclusion of the last case. The vessel arriving at any United States port with cases of contagion aboard shall be detained for a period ranging from five days to 20 days. The latter only where typhus fever prevails.

Canadian Consular Agents.

OTTAWA, March 3.—Minister of Finance Foster in the House of Commons to-day announced that the British government had consented to the appointment of a Canadian consular agent at Washington and other foreign capitals. At the last session of the Canadian Parliament, a motion was endorsed by the Government, providing for negotiations with the Imperial Government to bring about a fuller representation of Canadian interests at Washington and elsewhere. In the House to-day the minister of finance stated that he and the late Premier, Sir John Abbott, while in London last summer, had a conference with Lord Rosebery. The latter pointed out that serious difficulties lay in the way of giving Canada representation at foreign capitals with ambassadorial functions. The Imperial authorities, Lord Rosebery said, were willing to grant to Canadian consular agents at foreign capitals whatever advantages could possibly be given, through the embassy or the minister representing Great Britain at any foreign capital. It is likely that at no distant date a Canadian consular agent will be appointed to represent Canada at Washington. The assistance promised by the British Government to foreign agents through English ambassadors, will probably lead to the appointment of Canadian agents at the capitals of all foreign countries with which Canada has a large or increasing trade.

Mexican Bandits Captured.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 3.—Sheriff Shelly, of Starr county, arrived here to-day, having in custody Juan Duke, one of the most desperate of the lower Rio Grande border outlaws, and Rafael Valedez, another bandit leader. Duke was a lieutenant in the so-called constitutional army of Garza. He was reported to have been lynched nearly a year ago, and later to have been killed in a skirmish with officers. He was betrayed by an accomplice and was captured by Sheriff Shelly about eight miles from Rio Grande City. Both prisoners were placed in jail to await trial at the next term of the Federal court. Sheriff Shelly states that Estavan Margo, a full-blooded negro bandit, who led the Mexicans in the Hevlin fight in Starr county in 1892, came in and surrendered last Saturday.

Expiated His Crime.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Jose Gabriel, a half-breed Indian, who killed an old couple named Geyeser by beating out their brains while they slept, at Otay, near San Diego, last October, his object being robbery, was hanged at 10 this morning in the state prison at San Quentin. The execution was the first under the new law, which provides that executions must take place at one or other of the state prisons. The condemned man walked firmly to the scaffold and met his fate bravely. His neck was broken by the fall and death ensued in four minutes.

Mrs. Hurley's Claims.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The second action in the Hurley-Miles litigation, which has been before the courts for some time, began before Judge Barrett yesterday. Mrs. Catharine A. Hurley brought suit, as executrix of the estate of her late husband, Sam. Hurley, to recover $350,000 from Jacob and William Miles. William Miles is charged with appropriating the greater part of her husband's estate. It is also alleged that the agreement of June 16th, 1891, by which Hurley gave up all claims to the property is a forgery. The defendants deny everything.

Life Saving Apparatus.

MONTREAL, March 3.—Mr. Alfred Perry had an interview with Chief Benoit this morning, at which he suggested that firemen be supplied with a knotted rope on entering a burning building. The chief told Mr. Perry that he had in preparation what he considered "something better," namely a belt seven inches in width made of a hempen coil which could be unwound into a rope fifty feet in length. Such belts were in use in Paris.

President Reinhart of Atchison.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 3.—The directors of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe will meet in Boston on Thursday and will elect J. W. Reinhart president of the system. In doing so they will not only carry out the Atchison's civil service policy, but will put the management in the hands of a man who can be trusted. Reinhart is 41; a brother of Reinhart the artist. He will probably make no changes among the present Atchison officials and his headquarters will be in Chicago.

English Farmers in Wyoming.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 3.—Lionel Sartoris, a cousin of the late husband of Nellie Grant Sartoris, announces that he will colonize with English farmers, a tract of about 3000 acres in central Wyoming. He secured the land for a ranch several years ago, and failed in that business. An agent from England after making an inspection says that farmers from the other side will succeed on the land. Sartoris intended to farm on the land and bought water rights and built an irrigation plant.

The Feast of Purim

NEW YORK, March 3.—To-day the Hebrews of the United States celebrate the feast of Purim, the great charity day of the denomination, and upon which those who are dependent for their support upon their colleagues in the faith look for assistance. The indications are that the total contributions of the Hebrews of the United States in behalf of charity on this occasion will be the largest in the history of the race in this country.

The Hawaiian Princess.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Victoria Kaiulani, of Hawaii, left for Boston to-day accompanied by her guardian, T. H. Davis, Mrs. and Miss Davis, Miss Whartoff, Miss Painter, her secretary and maid. She will remain in Boston until Tuesday when she will go to Washington. It is the intention of the Princess to spend a week at the capitol, then she will visit Niagara and Boston again. She will return to this city March 22nd, and sail for England on the Majestic.

Buried Under Falling Walls.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 3.—As workmen were engaged in tearing down an unoccupied three story house on Washington street to-day the building collapsed, burying the five workmen in the debris. The fire department was soon at work in an endeavor to rescue the men. Three have been taken out unconscious, it is found the others are dead.

Old Charge Dismissed.

NEW YORK, March 3.—After three years the indictments charging Wm. H. M. Sistares, head of the once great banking house of Geo. K. Sistares & Sons, of 8 Broad street, with grand larceny, in misappropriating to the use of the firm stocks and bonds of August Hechscher, of Philadelphia, Pa., were dismissed by Judge Cowing.

Burglars Secure Valuable Booty.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—While Mrs. Crouch, proprietress of the St Nicholas hotel was at breakfast this morning, burglars broke into her room and made their escape with $6270 in coin and a lot of jewelry.

Hanged This Morning.

PITTSBURG, Miss., March 3.—Wm. Coy, who murdered Michael Whelan, was hanged in jail here this morning. Coy protested up to the last moment that he committed the deed in self defence.

Car Couplers' Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The president approved of the car couplers' bill to-day, and the pen with which he signed it was presented to E. A. Moseley, secretary of the Interstate Commerce commission.

Their Condition Unchanged.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—There is no change in the condition of either MacKay or Rippey this morning.

Cavin Bros., 94 Douglas street, are selling boots and shoes at cost for CASH for 30 days.

SLAIN WHILE THEY SLEPT.

Five Little Children Suffocated in the Burning of a New York Tenement.

Harrison Bids a Sad Farewell to His Cabinet—Cleveland Pays a Formal Visit

Capture of a Man Supposed to be Sontag—Roman Catholicism in the States.

NEW YORK, March 3.—Five children were suffocated at 8 o'clock this morning in the rear room of the top floor of a tenement on Henry St. The children were alone in the room at the time, their parents having left a short time previous to the accident, locking the children in. The cause of the accident was a kerosene stove which belonged to Meyer Membert, who occupies apartments adjoining those of the Bernstein family. The fire swept out into the hallway and up to the roof like a flash. There were about twelve families in the tenement when the cry of fire was raised. All that could rushed for the fire escapes and the firemen soon arrived and helped the frightened people down to the street. The upper portion of the house was soon a mass of flames, and when the firemen tried to force their way to the top floor they were beaten back by the flames and smoke. Just as the blaze died away and the fire was under control, the wild shrieks of a woman came from among the throng in the street. In a few seconds a frantic woman came rushing through the crowd to the door of the tenement. It was Mrs. Bernstein, mother of the four suffocated children. She had been out shopping and the first she learned of the accident was when she turned into Henry street and saw flames issuing from the building. She made a desperate attempt to dash into the house and it took two policemen to hold her. The firemen went to the Bernstein apartments as soon as possible, and on the bed in the rear room found the children dead. The fire had not touched the room, but the young ones had been suffocated as they slept. The firemen continued the search and in another room on the same floor found the body of little Fannie Rosen, also suffocated by smoke. She, too, had been left alone in the room while her mother went to a neighboring bakery. The total loss by fire is $5000.

Cleveland at Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—About two hundred people gathered on the portico and about the main entrance to the White House when the President-elect arrived at 10 30 a.m. The doors of the executive mansion were closed against invasion of the general public until after the interview between the President and Cleveland, so that the lobby was not crowded, and the latter had free ingress to the blue room, where the exchange of courtesies took place. As Cleveland's carriage was brought to a standstill under the portico of the main entrance, the crowd pressed closer together in the direction of the vehicle, and Cleveland alighted, followed by Private Secretary Thurber. A hearty cheer went up, but raising his hand deprecatingly, as if to stop this demonstration, the President-elect passed through the narrow lane which the White House attendants managed to make through the enthusiastic throng, and walked into the blue room, the official chamber of the President. Here Harrison stood to receive him with Lieut. John W. Parker, his naval aide, at his side. The two men greeted each other cordially and exchanged a few commonplace remarks. At the end of eight minutes Cleveland withdrew.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The capital is filling up with visitors who have taken time by the forelock and are here in advance of the inauguration festivities. Outside of the accommodations specially reserved, hotel facilities are at a premium already, and hundreds of advance visitors last night and this morning who had failed to make previous provision found themselves compelled to take a run down to Baltimore in order to get a place to sleep, and the indications are that the inauguration of Grover Cleveland will attract to the national capital the biggest crowd in its history.

CHICAGO, March 3.—The members of the noted Iroquois Club of this city, 250 strong, left this afternoon on a special train for the national capital, and will occupy a conspicuous position in the inaugural procession. The delegation was accompanied by the second regiment band of 60 pieces, and marched to the depot of the B. & O.

Goldwin Smith's Offence.

TORONTO, March 3.—Whether or not Goldwin Smith shall be disciplined for his determined advocacy of the annexation of Canada to the United States is the weighty question to be determined by the society of the Sons of St. George at a special meeting this afternoon. The professor has many friends in the organization, but it would not be surprising if they are outvoted. Some of the anti-annexationists demand that he shall be expelled from the organization, while others are of opinion that Canadian patriotism would be vindicated by a sentence of suspension from the rights and privileges of the order for a period of six or 12 months.

Renewal of Steerage Traffic.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The Red Star line, the North German Lloyd line and the Netherlands-American line have received circulars informing them of the renewal of steerage traffic after March 1st and an increase of rates.

Harrison Dismisses the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The last meeting of Harrison's cabinet took place at the usual hour to day. All the members were present, and at the conclusion of half an hour's conference, the president rose and in a few words bade them good-bye, thanked them for the loyal support they had always given, and attributed much of the success of the administration to their wise counsels, faithful services and devotion to the country's highest good. He thanked them for the personal goodwill they bore him, and wished for each one happiness and success in their undertakings. He then shook hands with each in turn, and in a voice which betrayed emotion bade them good-bye.

FRANCHISE EXTENSION.

Popular Demand in Westminster—Aid for the Irish Cause.

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 3.—In answer to the appeal of the Hon. Edward Blake on behalf of the Irish Nationalists, sympathizers with that body in this city will issue an appeal signed by them asking for subscriptions. They will also personally solicit subscriptions.

From all accounts the council will not introduce Mr. Brown's motion for an extension of the franchise. It is said that if it does not a public indignation meeting will be held. There will be some pretty plain talk, extension being one of the principal planks on which the mayor and council were elected. Taxation without representation will no longer be tolerated.

Two out of the three divorce cases mentioned in these dispatches will be heard in the next fortnight. One is for cruelty and neglect and the other for adultery. The principals in each do not belong to the elite.

VANCOUVER EVENTS.

Extension of Steamship Business—Stolen Goods Discovered—Five Specialists.

VANCOUVER, March 3.—Jonathan Rogers has been re-elected president of the Y.M.C.A.

Captain Webster, who returned yesterday from Scotland, announces that the Union Steamship Company will extend its business operations this summer.

The police are making discoveries of stolen goods and a number of charges will be laid against Campbell, a junk-shop keeper, who is now under arrest.

The Empress of China leaves on Monday with a larger passenger list than usual.

The sealing schooner C. D. Rand is expected to get away this week.

The father of Rev. D. A. McRae, of Nanaimo, died here yesterday.

The school board is endeavoring to secure two specialists for the high school when the building is opened, bringing the staff up to five, all specialists.

GOING TO PARIS.

Sir John Thompson Leaves in a Week—Mr McCarthy and the Tariff.

OTTAWA, March 3.—Sir John Thompson has decided to leave Ottawa a week from to-day for Paris to attend the Behring Sea arbitration.

Mr. Weldon brought the Nova Scotia coal combine bill before the House last evening, arguing for its disallowance. The Premier said the matter was entirely within the jurisdiction of the province, and instructed that there would be no interference.

Mr. McCarthy has given notice of motion that the tariff, where in any instances it is oppressive or burdensome, as affecting the agricultural classes, ought to be amended; also that it be modified by a substantial reduction of customs duties in favor of the United Kingdom, and of those nations which under treaty obligations with Great Britain are entitled to the same advantages, graduated, however, so as not unnecessarily to prejudice the business of the country; nor do wrong to those who have imported and paid duties in accordance with its provisions; and the House declares its readiness to make a like reduction in favor of such other peoples of foreign countries, especially the United States, who are willing to reciprocate in matters of trade with Canada on fair and equitable terms.

Capture of an Outlaw.

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 3.—Police arrived in this city shortly after noon to day with a man they had been hunting for several days in the mountains between Los Gatos and Alamadan. They came upon him about 10 a.m. in a canyon. He was covered with the weapon of one of the constables before the man saw him. He was called upon several times to throw up his hands before he complied. The man had laid down his gun and was preparing to kindle a fire in a camp he had established there. He was armed with two shot guns, a rifle and a pistol, a belt of cartridges and other ammunition. He was seen at the jail by a United Press reporter this afternoon. He gave his name as Richard T. Allen, of San Joaquin valley, and says he was looking for a timber claim. He does not appear to be very bright, but this manner may be assumed. His appearance resembles that of Sontag, and the weight and height are the same. The police will hold him until his identity is fully established, and his rather unusual conduct in the mountains during the past few days is explained.

Anti-annexationists

TORONTO, March 3.—Speaking at a Sons of England dinner here last night Lieut.-Col. D. G. Denison said he was satisfied that the annexation agitation was fostered by paid emissaries sent out in the interest of capitalists. He said Canada was only just starting on her career of prosperity; there never was a grander opportunity before a young people and a new country, and the men who hinted at changing their allegiance should be avoided as the plague. The motion to expel Goldwin Smith from the St. George's Society comes up for discussion at a meeting of that society to-night. Much interest is taken in the meeting and there promises to be a lively time.

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ORANGEMEN EXCITED.

Great Demonstration in Belfast—Gladstone and Morley Burned in Effigy.

BELFAST, March 2.—More than 50,000 persons were present at the great Orange meeting here to-day. Dr. Kane, who presided, said that Ulster was prepared to defend herself to the last against the proposals of the Home Rule bill. The men of Ulster need not feel, however, that they would be alone and unaided in their fight for liberty. They had the sympathy of Englismen of all classes throughout the world. He had received letters from military and police officers in England and Ireland, and telegrams from Canada and Australia, promising co-operation with the men of Ulster if the latter resorted to arms to defend their liberties against the tyranny of their historic foes. A hundred thousand Orangemen were ready to resist to the death the Home Rule bill. William Johnson, M.P., for South Belfast, who called the meeting concluded a violent speech by swearing on a Bible that he would never submit to the laws of a Dublin Parliament. Mr. Kane tore to pieces and threw on the floor a copy of the Home Rule bill, and the meeting adjourned. This evening effigies of Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Morley were burned in High street in the presence of a cheering crowd of thousands.

CORNERING COAL.

New York Capitalists Picking up all the Nova Scotia Coal.

NEW YORK, March 2.—A dispatch to the Evening Post from Halifax, N.S. says: Another syndicate of New York capitalists, it is said here, have acquired options on the coal fields of Cape Breton not acquired by the Whitney syndicate. These options include one of the most valuable mines in Eastern Canada. Special legislation was accorded Mr. Whitney, and other acts will be applied for. It is said this syndicate will sell out to the Whitney combination in any event. Securing these options establishes for American capitalists a complete monopoly of the most valuable coal mines in Canada, upon which the manufacturers of Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime provinces depend for coal for their factories. During the last few days there has been a considerable increase in the price of coal in Nova Scotia, and further advances are predicted by persons engaged in the trade.

Imperial Parliament.

LONDON, March 2.—After the House of Commons had gone into committee on supply, with J. W. Mellor, Liberal, for the division of Sowerby, Yorkshire, in the chair, the Conservatives tried to raise a discussion on the Egyptian occupancy on the vote of an extra grant to complete the agency house in Cairo. Mr. Mellor resisted the attempt, and eventually was assisted by Thomas Sexton (anti-Parnellite), who made a scene by accusing the Conservatives of trying to intimidate the chairman because they regarded him as inexperienced in his parliamentary duties.

Sir John Gorst protested that Mr. Sexton's accusation was unfounded, and that the raising of the Egyptian question on the proposed grant was perfectly regular.

Rt. Hon. Mr. Balfour asked the chairman for a clear definition of the grounds on which he had given this novel ruling against the discussion of the Egyptian question.

Sir William Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer, appealed to the chairman to say whether or not it was competent to discuss the foreign policy of the Government on a vote of £200 for drains in a government office. (Laughter.)

Mr. Mellor repeated his previous declaration, that such discussions on supplementary votes were irregular.

Mr. Sexton then attempted to speak again, but was howled down with angry cries from the Conservatives. ("Withdraw!" "Shame!")

Sir Henry James and Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain supported Mr. Balfour's question as to the grounds of Mr. Mellor's ruling. Mr. Mellor again defined his position firmly and clearly. The storm then subsided, and the vote for the Cairo building was passed without further discussion.

In the House of Lords to-day the Bishop of Chester introduced a bill which proposes to place the retail sale of spirituous liquors under the control of local license boards, the profits to be devoted to the reduction of the rates. The general outlines of the plan are similar to those of the Gothenburg system. The Archbishop of Canterbury, the Earl of Kimberley and the Duke of Westminster spoke in favor of the bill, and it then passed its first reading. Several members of the temperance contingent of the House of Commons listened to the debate on the bill. Subsequently in the lobbies they declared that they would not accept the measure.

In the House of Commons, T. W. Russell, Liberal-Unionist for South Tyrone, moved to adjourn in order to direct attention to the statement of Justice O'Brien at the opening of the Munster Assizes, that such lawlessness prevailed in County Clare that there was no security of life and property. A heated debate followed.

Mr. Morley, Irish secretary, and several Irish members, denounced the Justice's statement as a misrepresentation of the facts for political purposes. Not only had there been no increase of crime in County Clare under the present Government, they contended, but, on the contrary, there had been a slight but steady decrease.

Rt. Hon. Mr. Balfour, leader of the Unionists, questioned the correctness of this assertion. The Government, he said, had deliberately shut their eyes to a series of the most dastardly crimes that ever had disgraced Ireland.

Colonel Saunderson, champion of the men of Ulster, supported Mr. Balfour, and denounced the Irish members as defenders of persistent criminals. He said that they always were in sympathy with murderers.

William Redmond, the Parnellite leader, challenged Colonel Saunderson amid Irish cheers and Opposition laughter to repeat these words outside the House.

Colonel Saunderson offered to repeat them anywhere.

Before the vote the Opposition whips were busy bringing in every available member as they hoped to be able to take the Government by surprise with an adverse majority. The division, however, resulted in the defeat of Mr. Russell's motion by 260 members to 215. The announcement of the figures evoked loud Liberal cheers.

CANADIAN NOTES.

News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.

The liabilities of Burpee, Thorn & Co., of St. John, N.B., are $60,000; assets nominally $70,000.

A dispatch has been received stating that Detective Murray had sailed from Liverpool with Davidson, the Bank of Hamilton forger.

Mr. James Cleghorn, a well known Winnipeg commission merchant, is an uncle of the Princess Kaiulani, of Hawaii. Her father is a Mr. Cleghorn, who went to Hawaii many years ago.

All the stock offered by the Dominion Coal Co., in Nova Scotia, has been subscribed for. Halifax has taken a quarter of a million. A railway to Louisburg will be at once begun by the company.

A conference of representatives of the provinces of Ontario and Quebec has been opened at Toronto with the object of settling without the aid of arbitrators, if possible, several long standing accounts.

The nuns of the Sacred Heart at Calgary purpose erecting forthwith a new stone convent, at a cost of $6000. The building will include commodious schoolroom and will be fitted with all modern conveniences.

While a daughter of Robert Anderson, near Severn Bridge, was carrying a dipper of boiling water she accidentally spilled the contents on her five-year-old sister, who was scalded so badly that she died in a short time.

It is rumored that the Canadian Pacific railroad has purchased the Crawford house at Windsor and will make many improvements to their Windsor property, and run their Port Arthur boats from Windsor instead of Owen Sound as heretofore.

M. Camille Flammarion, the noted French astronomer, is expected to visit Montreal during the coming summer. The author of "Terres et Ciel," has, it is said, already bespoke cabin accomodation on the Allan Line Parisian. He will remain in Montreal several days.

The scandal, in which Abbe Guyon, a well-known priest of Montreal, was implicated, and which caused so much comment last summer, is again coming before the public in the form of an action for separation taken by the wife of the husband claiming to be the injured party. She alleges that he treated her with great brutality.

The big storm at Port Arthur has abated. A relief expedition was about to be started to look for ex-Councillor Banks, when some watcher saw out on the bay a solitary pedestrian wading with evident effort through the deep snow on the ice. Snowshoers and a team started out and picked him up after he had fallen exhausted. Mr. Banks had had nothing to eat for 48 hours.

Pope Leo's Birthday.

ROME, March 2.—This is the birthday of Pope Leo, who was born March 2, 1810. The cardinals now in Rome made a visit of congratulation to His Holiness, who received them in the Throne room of the Vatican. The cardinals presented an address of congratulation to the Pope on the advanced age which Providence had permitted him to attain, and expressed earnest wishes for the prolongation of his life. In replying, Pope Leo expressed his gratitude to God for having permitted him to serve the Church for so many years. He said the enthusiasm attending the jubilee has added lustre and glory to the Church. Amidst many disillusions and profound social and political upheavals, that enthusiasm showed that the instincts of common salvation impelled people to cling closer to the bosom of the Church in which salvation was found, and to hold on firmly to the cornerstone apart from which there was no cornerstone and no basis for order.

Harrison's Law Lectures.

NEW YORK, March 2.—Under the arrangement with Senator Stanford, President Harrison is to deliver a regular course of ten lectures each year on general law in Leland Stanford university. The precise number of years is not made public. He will begin about the middle of October. The compensation has been variously stated at from $10,000 to $25,000 each year. It is not the present intention to make his home in California. The lectures will be arranged so that he can give the entire course in as short a time as possible, so that he may not be required to make more than one trip a year across the continent.

At the Isthmus.

PANAMA, March 3.—The Colon authorities propose to quarantine against Marseilles, France, owing to the reports of cholera. The steamer from that port is due there on March 9th.

At a labor mass meeting in San Jose, Costa Rica, the dictatorship of President Rodriguez was denounced, and Colonel Mena named as a candidate for president. A riot was caused by the attempt of the police to disperse the meeting. Many of the labor leaders were arrested. It is predicted that the reign of the president will be suddenly terminated. The Liberal party has indorsed the nomination of Col. Mena. Rodriguez recognizes this danger in endeavoring to secure the election of his son-in-law, Iglesias, who is minister of war.

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Hon. Mr. Beaven's Municipal Bill Considered in Committee Yesterday.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY, March 2, 1893.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock.

Prayers by Rev. Canon Beanlands.

REPORTS.

The private bills committee reported on the bills to incorporate the Y.M.C.A. of Vancouver, B.C. College, and the Kaslo Electric Light, Water Works and Tramway company. The report was received and adopted.

MEDICAL BILL.

Mr. Watt moved on the consideration of the report on the Medical bill that the following be inserted as section 4: "4. All fees heretofore paid for registration under the 'Medical Act, by resolution, order, regulation, or by-law of the Council, or otherwise, are hereby declared to have been lawfully imposed and exacted, and to form part of the funds of the Council."

The clause was adopted and the bill was read a third time.

MUNICIPAL BILL.

The House went into committee, Mr. Semlin in the chair to consider the Municipal bill.

Mr. Brown proposed an amendment to deal with the voters' lists of New Westminster. The object was to give all who had resided in the city for twelve months, paid all their taxes, and made a declaration to that effect, a vote.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said that on general principles he could not agree to any such clause in the Municipal Act. Those who vote should have some interest in the municipality.

Hon. Mr. Davie thought when he saw the amendment that Mr. Brown was joking. The amendment struck at the root of municipal institutions. He agreed with the leader of the Opposition. It was not right to place those who were drones on society, on the same footing as those who had built up the city.

Mr. Forster was in favor of the amendment. The member for New Westminster was simply trying to carry out the views of his constituents.

Mr. Brown spoke at some length in favor of his amendment. He said that it was workable in the city that he represented.

Hon. Mr. Pooley said the amendment was just the thin end of the wedge to let those who were not interested in the country to get in and manage it, perhaps contrary to the views of the property owners.

Mr. Hunter said the city council of New Westminster had voted against the amendment proposed by Mr. Brown.

The amendment was lost.

A clause was inserted giving municipalities power to subscribe for stock in an incorporated water works company.

During the discussion of the clause referring to local improvement, Hon. Mr. Turner asked if it would not be possible to assess the corporation property improved by work done by local improvement.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said the way to manage this would be for the corporation to contribute towards the work.

Hon. Mr. Davie was of opinion that the local improvement system was altogether wrong.

The clause providing that municipalities should be allowed to handle their sinking funds as they wished, without obtaining the sanction of the governor in council, was objected to by Hon. Mr. Davie.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said the clause providing that the sanction of the governor in council had to be obtained had been a dead letter. In fact the special acts for the cities of Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster gave the cities the power to deal with their monies as they wished.

The clause providing to do away with the sanction of the governor in council was adopted.

Mr. Brown proposed an amendment to provide that a county court judge would have to decide an appeal from the court of revision within one month, and that the appeal from the decision of the council, sitting as a court of revision, shall be limited to the question whether the assessment in respect of which the appeal is taken is or is not equal and rateable with the assessment of other similar property in the municipality, having equal advantages of situation, against the assessment of which no appeal has been taken.

The amendment was adopted.

The committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

The House adjourned at 5:55.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

Among the visitors to the Legislature yesterday were: Mayor Curtis, New Westminster; Mayor Cope and Ald. Anderson, Vancouver; Ald. Munn, Col. Haggard, N. P. Snowden and C. D. Rand.

One of the members of the Legislature who was kept waiting in the county court yesterday for an hour and then told that the court would have to be adjourned for an hour as there was no judge ready to attend, has promised to introduce an amendment to the county court act providing that if a judge does not arrive on time the court shall be adjourned for a day.

During the discussion of Mr. Brown's amendment to the municipal act making it compulsory for a judge to give a decision on an appeal from a court of revision, within thirty days, a member suggested that an old California law be copied in this respect. The old California law said that a judge should not draw his salary until he had decided all the cases brought before him.

The Attorney-General seldom speaks to a bill or an amendment until Hon. Mr. Beaven has expressed his opinion. Yesterday an important amendment to the municipal bill was about to be put by the chairman. Mr. Davie sat looking at the leader of the Opposition and just as the members were about to vote he jumped up and wanted to know if the leader of the Opposition was not going to say something. Hon. Mr. Beaven said he had been waiting for the Attorney-General to say something and the latter said he had been waiting for the leader of the Opposition. A long discussion followed, the Attorney-General and leader of the Opposition agreeing in their views.

Messrs. Brown and Hunter had another sharp battle yesterday afternoon. Mr. Hunter said the Columbian was a very truthful paper when Mr. Brown was in Victoria and the wires were down. Mr. Brown answered that the trash and personal abuse that fell from the member for Comox was not worth listening to.

A deputation from the board of fire underwriters waited on the Government yesterday to propose some amendments to the fire insurance policies bill.

MANITOBA EVENTS.

The Orangemen Against Home Rule—Prohibition Asked For—Frozen.

WINNIPEG, March 2.—The Prohibition question was fully discussed in the Legislature last night. After several amendments all of which were voted down the Memorist to the Dominion government was voted down by a vote of 36 to 1. The momorial asks that, in view of the recent plebiscite taken in in Manitoba, the Dominion government shall with all convenient speed enact a law prohibiting the importation, manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, as a beverage, into or in the province of Manitoba.

The following resolution has been adopted by the Grand Orange lodge in session here: "That the Grand lodge of Manitoba, now assembled, heartily sympathizes with the Protestant brethren in Ireland on account of the threatened Home Rule affliction about to be imposed upon them by British, or rather, un-British statesmen; that we strongly protest against subjecting our fellow Protestants to the tyrannical and unscrupulous rule of the Irish priesthood; that, as Canadians, we cannot help but look with shame and sorrow upon the actions of our once respected countryman, Hon. Edward Blake, in allowing his respected name to be associated with those of jail birds and released convicts in soliciting funds from the enemies of Great Britain for the so-called promotion of Home Rule; but which in reality means the dismemberment of the Empire; that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Hon. Edward Blake and also to the Earl of Erne, Imperial Grand Master, assuring him that, should the day of conflict ever come, he can reckon on men and means from the Prairie Province of Manitoba."

A Maple Creek, Assa., special to the Free Press says that three American soldiers deserted from the other side, and while on their way from the boundary to Maple Creek two of them were badly frozen. One was taken to the Medicine Hat hospital for treatment and will probably have the toe of one foot and the other entire foot taken off.

Irish Exhibits for the Fair.

LONDON, March 3.—Aristocratic society turned out in force to-day upon the occasion of the public show of the Irish exhibits for the World's Fair. The spacious drawing-rooms, together with the library, dining-room and banqueting hall of the Carlton House Terrace mansion, now leased by Mr. and Mrs. Astor of New York, have been entirely given up to the purposes of the exposition. The display was arranged in stalls, No. 1 being presided over by the Princess Edward of Saxe-Weimar, and the others in the following order: Duchess of Leinster, Marchioness of Londonderry, Countess of Aberdeen, Countess Spencer, Lady Henry Fitzgerald, Countess of Shrewsbury, Lady Carew, Lady Norris, and Mrs. Edward Ponsonby.

Captured the Gang.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—For several weeks past the pool and billiard rooms in this city have been infested by a gang who robbed them of ivory balls, overcoats and other things. Three young men ranging from 20 to 24 were arrested on suspicion. The authorities could not obtain evidence sufficient to secure a conviction so they were charged with vagrancy. The gang are also said to be passing counterfeit money.

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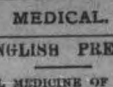

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TAKING HER MEASURE.

How London Fun Settles the Case of Home Rule—The G.O.M.

Miss Erin discovers she can't repress
Her naturel wish for a nice new dress;
So she goes to her tailor, who says, says he,
"What's your pleasure, m'm?
"Take your measure, m'm?
"Certainly, m'm, so shall it be."
Miss Erin want's this, and Miss Erin wants that;
Here something less puffy, there something less flat;
But she needn't be anxious, no, not a bit,
For her grand old tailor is
Such a nailer, is
Such a one-er for cut and fit!
He measures her off with his Home Rule tape,
And tells her, "I hope to improve on this shape
"And to give satisfaction—more length, I mean,
"A little more freedom and
"Fulness (you need 'em), and
"P'rhaps the least taste of a crinoline."
He shows her designs in the latest style,
Especially made for the Emerald Isle;
And his heart is cheer'd when he says, says he,
"You see my passion's for
"Irish fashion for
"Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-three."
—London Fun.

A Newspaper Premium.

The man had informed a number of his friends that he was going down and give the editor a thumping, and his friends, who knew the editor, tried to dissuade him, because they had seen a few wrecks who had escaped. But it was no use; he was bound to go and they couldn't prevent him. They waited across the street, however, and an ambulance to receive him when the call was finished. In about fifteen minutes he came out, without even his necktie mussed and not a scratch visible.

"Hello," they said in surprise, "he wasn't there, was he?"

"Yes, he was."

"But you didn't see him?"

"Yes, I did, and I slapped his jaws and walked all over him."

"Come off; what are you giving us?"

"Straight goods."

"Didn't he make any resistance?"

"Not a bit."

"What was the matter with him?"

"Nothing. I had one of his papers in my pocket containing an insurance policy good for $1,000 if I were killed, and for $20 a week if I were injured. I showed it to him, and then I went for him, and he didn't raise a finger."

"Now is the time to subscribe!" shouted the crowd, and they all went in behind a green shutter.

A New Remedy.

Old Joe Case didn't have much respect for either doctors or medicine until a short time ago.

Joe had just pulled through a pretty severe attack of grip, and was persuaded, much against his will, to take quinine as a tonic. The country doctor, to whom Joe went for the quinine, happened to be very busy that day, and did not have time to put up any capsules for him. However, he provided him with the materials, and ample directions as to how he must fill the capsules with the quinine.

A week after this Joe presented himself at the doctor's office. His face was beaming.

"Doc," he said, "I ain't never a gwine to say agin thet you can't help a feller. You've done me a power o' good."

The doctor was slightly surprised. He asked him how much quinine he had taken.

"Wall," said Joe, "I ain't took none of it yet. I've just been a takin the capsules. Quinine may be pretty good, but them dar capsules does the business. Lemme have all you kin spare. The old woman will be oneasy 'till she gits 'em, fur she 'lows they mought help her, too."

He Was Too Smart.

The boarding-house joker has at last met with a setback. He has been crushed by the landlady, and it came about in this way.

He was the only man at the table full of lovely girls, and like all only men he was spoiled. So when the belle of the table remarked that she was very fond of pepper and then sifted half the contents of the pepper-box over her food, he sprang an old gag on her.

"It won't hurt you. This pepper is half pease."

"What is that you say?" asked the landlady from the next table, "Speak a little louder, won't you?"

He reiterated his remark.

"That isn't true," retorted the landlady hotly. "I do not use adulterated goods on my table."

"My dear madam," said the bland joker, "there are always a lot of p's in pepper."

There was an impressive pause, then the landlady said in a crushing tone:

"Oh, yes, just as you always furnish part of the dessert."

"I don't understand."

"The chestnuts."

A Woman's Watch.

O, I am a woman's watch, am I,
But I would that I were not,
For if you knew, you would not deny
That mine is a sorry lot.
She'll let me rest for a great long while,
Then all of a sudden seek
To twist me up so tight that I'll
Keep going for a week.
She leaves me open when she will,
Till I'm sick of dirt and things.
Of pins and hair I have got my fill
And of buttons, hooks and strings.
There's a four-leaf clover in me, too,
And a piece of a photograph;
I am stuffed completely through and through
With toothpicks, cloves and chaff.
My hands are twisted to and fro,
I am thumped and jarred, alack!
And then, if I fail to straightway go,
I am pounded front and back.
With her hat-pin all my wheels she'll pry
Till she breaks them, every one,
And then she'll say, "I don't see why
This blamed old thing won't run!"

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Showers of Ink.

The meteorological records of the world chronicles several incontestible instances of black rainfalls, to say nothing of the more startling phenomena of "showers of blood, blue snows," &c. Prof. Barker, in April, 1845, laid before the Royal Society of Dublin some observations on a shower of black rain which fell around Carlow and Kilkenny, extending over an area of about 400 square miles.

During the course of his lecture Prof. Barker exhibited to the society a specimen of this uncanny shower which had been sent him by a friend. The specimen shown in the vial was a uniform black color, much resembling common black writing fluid. Dr. Barker found, however, that after allowing it to stand for a short period the black coloring matter separated from the water with which it had mixed, rendering the color of the rain water much lighter, but still dark enough to be called "black rain." The shower which was in broad daylight, was preceded by a darkness so dense as to make it impossible for one to read without the aid of a candle. After this darkness had continued for some time, a hail storm set in, attended with vivid lightning, but without the least semblance of thunder. When this hail storm was over the black rain began to fall.

On examination of the rain immediately after the storm was over it was found to have an extremely fetid smell, as well as a very disagreeable taste. All light-colored animals and all articles of clothing exposed bore dark spots and stains, and cattle refused to drink the water or eat the grass until after a shower of "real rain" had washed off the black, poisonous matter.—Philadelphia Press.

PALESTINE FOR THE JEWS.

A Boom in Jerusalem Real Estate—Hebrew Influx.

The irresistible power of progression is strikingly illustrated in the quickening of important enterprises and rapid advance of values in sleepy old Palestine. A number of important business ventures have been gone into by organized companies composed of active, pushing members and backed by ample capital. Farm lands are changing hands at good prices and a stranger dropping into the real estate market of Jerusalem might readily imagine himself in some ambitious western city of the United States.

The new railroad from the coast to the sacred city has done much to bring about this wonderful transformation, but there is another potent agency at work, which will appear to many as the mysterious working of destiny or the fulfillment of an ancient prophecy. It is the new movement for the Jewish colonization of Palestine, which has the approval of trusted advisers and a large proportion of Hebrew publications throughout the world. In this endeavour to secure the holy land to those who once inhabited and controlled it, all essential preliminaries have been provided for. There are Jewish capitalists who stand ready with the means for carrying out the project, and among no people are there abler financiers or men better able to master the details of great undertakings. Several millions of Russian Jews are anxious to return to the country of their forefathers. The Turkish Government has declared its approval of the scheme and seems to grasp the advantages which would be secured to it by a thrifty, prosperous colony in Palestine. Next year the railroad between Acre and Damascus will be completed, and closely upon this, it is expected will follow an important Jewish movement from Russia, Poland, Turkey in Europe, and the Balkan States, towards Palestine.

There is a fascinating interest in following the rapid evolutions through which a land so rich in historic lore, the birthplace of the Saviour, the scene of His life among men, is emerging from centuries of inactivity into a new being and a new activity which must soon place it abreast of nations that have been in the march of progress from the beginning.

A Convenient Shopping Bag.

A very convenient bag for shopping is made as follows: Materials, one yard black surah silk, one yard black satine, burlap, twenty-one inches long and seventeen inches wide. One and one-half yards of black silk cord, rather large. Two leather handles. Two yards silk braid. Half skein black Germantown yarn.

The burlap is worked in cross-stitch either with a fine all-over pattern or a running vein in stripes. Fold the silk and satine together in bag form, with satine on the outside, and stitch up the sides, then make a casing at the top in the hem for the draw-strings, cut the braid in two pieces and run in.

Turn the bag and adjust the burlap on the center, catch the cord on to cover the edge. Sew the handles firmly to the top of burlap. At the bottom the silk should be plaited in so that the bag will be no wider than the burlap.

In carrying this bag the silk may be tucked in at the top, giving the appearance of a much smaller bag.—The Household.

A Seasonable Hint.

The period of changing from autumn to winter as well as the reverse, calls for a toning up of the system of the domestic animal, and this process can be effected only by a liberal use of sound grain. The quantity of grain used must be governed by the environments of the animal. Those that are not worked and have the shelter of sheds or a friendly grove will not require so much as those exposed day and night to the storms, the heat of the sun and the other extreme of a chilly atmosphere at night. As the cold weather advances corn proves the best warming food for stock exposed continually.—Orange Judd Farmer.

Maori Humor.

A Maori whose requests for blankets had at last elicited a decided refusal from the missionary, exclaimed: "Kapai (good); no more blankets, no more hallelujahs," and thereupon returned to the faith of his fathers. No less humorous, though in another way, was the plea of a Maori in litigation for a piece of land. Being called on to tell the court on what proof he relied for his title, he pointed to the rival claimant and said simply: "I ate his father."

To Preserve the Complexion.

Add a pinch of carbonate of soda and two teaspoonfuls of glycerine to a wineglassful of the best orange-flower water. Melt a piece of camphor the size of a pea in three teaspoonfuls of eau de cologne add to the orange-flower water, shake thoroughly for a few minutes, and apply to the face with a soft linen cloth.

Care of the Eyes.

Never read in bed or when lying upon the sofa. Sit with your back to the light as much as possible. Attend to your digestion. Do not work longer than two hours without closing your eyes and resting them for five minutes. If your eyes are weak, bathe them in water to which a little salt and a little brandy have been added.

Afraid to Inhale It.

Doctor—Why, are you going to leave simply because you have to talk through the telephone?

Bridget—Av coorse Oi am. Oi don't want t' be inhalin' th' breath av thim different peoplesall th' toime, begob!

Bits of Humor.

The military prisoner makes his escape in an unguarded moment.—Picayune.

It is very convenient for a rapid writer to have a good train of thought.—Troy Press.

There is no help for the case of the woman who can't get a servant.—Philadelphia Record.

Binx calls his doctor his biographer for the reason that he is at work upon his life.—Siftings.

The man who aspires to make a successful pickpocket should study free-hand drawing.—Yonkers Statesman.

Women are usually tender-hearted, but it is not uncommon for them to engage in crewel work.—Lowell Courier.

A difference between a knife-blade losing its temper and a woman is that the former becomes duller and the latter more cutting.—Philadelphia Times.

Jagsby—Wife, I (hic) was "held up" on m' way 'ome. Mrs. Jagsby (sarcastically)—You wouldn't have never got home if you hadn't been.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

Mrs. Gumley (reading)—A European scientist has been listening to the voice of a fly through a microscope. He says it sounds very much like the neighing of a horse. Mr. Gumley—Perhaps it was a horse fly.—Ripples.

Wanted the Addition First.

Oscar is a gentleman of color who has had the good fortune to save something from his earnings—in fact, enough to "add an addition to his house," as he put it. Consulting a friend on the subject who combines the contractor with the architect, he was asked to give the dimensions of the desired structure.

"Well, boss," he said, after a few minutes of deep reflection, "I guess you'd better make it twelve by fo'teen feet, wid de long side 'gainst de main house."

The contractor figured a few minutes, and said: "Well, here is the estimate with weather-boarding for three sides. Of course you will not need any weather-boarding on the fourth side, against the main house——"

"Well, boss," said Oscar, scratching his head thoughtfully, "I guess, p'r'aps, on de whole, you'd better put in de wedder-bo'ding for de fort' side too, for, ye see, I hain't built de main house yit; I's only goin' to build de 'dition now. I shall build de main house when I gets more abler."—Harper's Monthly Magazine.

Brother Allselph Rejoices.

Brother Allselph rose to give in his experience.

"I feel moved to rejoice, brethren," he said, "at the special providence that has spared myself and family from an epidemic that has raged all along our street. Every family in the neighborhood was down with it but ours, and for this I rejoice and give thanks this bright, beautiful morning."

"Brethren," said the Rev. Mr. Goodman, with much feeling, "let us pray for Brother Allselph."—Chicago Tribune.

Accounting for It.

Banks—Rivers, how do you suppose that wonderful bird, the phoenix, ever caught fire?

Rivers—Probably from a defective flew.

Mother, Is Your Baby Suffering from Defective Digestion?

Defects and derangements among infants and young children are common ailments, and they complicate a great variety of disease. It will be well if mothers thoroughly realized the truth of this statement.

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Amusements.

For particulars and dates of amusements, see fourth page, column next editorial.

CONSIGNEES.

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No. 188.

A BY-LAW

Authorising the Corporation of the City of Victoria to Borrow the sum of $225,000.00 in anticipation of the receipt of its Revenue for the year 1893.

Whereas under and by virtue of sub-section 134 of section 104 of the Municipal Act, 1892, every municipality may under the conditions contained in said sub-section borrow from any person such sum of money not exceeding an amount equal to the total amount of taxes upon land or real property as shown by the revised assessment roll of the municipality for the preceding year, and bearing such rate of interest as may be requisite, to meet the current legal expenditure of the corporation which becomes payable out of the annual revenue before the revenue for the year becomes payable by the tax payers;]

And whereas the total amount of the tax upon land for the year 1892 is $235,907.55 and upon improvements $41,551.87;

And whereas to meet the current legal expenditure of the Corporation of the City of Victoria for the year 1893 payable out of the annual revenue before such revenue for such year becomes payable by the tax payers, it is requisite for the said Corporation to borrow the sum of $225,000.

Therefore be it enacted by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria by the Mayor and Finance Committee thereof, to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation from any person or persons, firm or firms, corporation or corporations who may be willing to advance the same, the sum of $225,000.00, in such amounts and at such times as the same may in the opinion of the Mayor and the Finance Committee of the Council be required, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum.

Sec. 2. The money so borrowed shall be expended in defraying the current legal expenses of the said Corporation for the year 1893, and shall, together with the interest thereon, be payable and repaid to the lender or lenders thereof on or before the 31st day of December, 1893, out of the municipal revenue for the said year.

Sec. 3. An acknowledgement of such liability shall be in the form of a promissory note signed by the Mayor and the Finance Committee and Clerk of the said Corporation and shall be sealed with the corporate seal of the said Corporation.

Sec. 4. In the construction of this by-law the expressions "Land" and "Improvements" and "Real property" shall have respectively the meaning given to them in section 2 of the Municipal Act, 1892.

Sec. 5. This by-law may be cited as the "Annual Loan By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 17th day of February, A. D. 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council the 20th day of February, A. D. 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

A BY-LAW

To Regulate the Numbering of Hawkers and Pedlers.

Whereas by sub-section 61 of section 104 of the Municipal Act, 1892, the Council is empowered to make, alter and repeal by-laws inter alia to regulate the numbering of hawkers and pedlers,

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

Sec. 1. Every hawker or pedler licensed under the Revenue By-Law, 1889, shall at the time of the issue of his license receive from the collector a plate bearing a number which shall be affixed on a prominent place on the outside of his wagon, cart or other vehicle or basket or other receptacle for carrying or conveying his goods, wares, or merchandise and said plate shall remain thereon during the period for which the license is granted or in case more than one basket or other receptacle is carried by the licensee then the plate shall be attached to one of such baskets or other receptacle, and such plate shall be returned to the collector at the expiration of the term of the license and may be reissued by him.

Sec. 2. Any person convicted of a breach of this by-law shall forfeit and pay at the discretion of the convicting magistrate a penalty not exceeding the sum of fifty dollars, for each offence exclusive of costs and in default of payment of the said penalty and costs forthwith the said penalty and costs or costs only may be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the offender and in case of there being no distress found out of which such penalty can be levied the convicting magistrate may commit the offender to the common jail of the city of Victoria with or without hard labor for any period not exceeding one calendar month unless the said and penalty costs be sooner paid.

Sec. 3. This By-Law may be cited as "The Hawker and Pedler Numbering By-Law, 1893."

Passed the Municipal Council the 27th day of January, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council the 1st February, 1893.

ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of the by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 1st day of February, A.D. 1893, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

A. MAXWELL MUIR.

ARCHITECT,

93½ Douglas Street.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business of the late firm will be carried on by Messrs. H. F. Heisterman and G. W. Haynes, under the firm name of Heisterman & Co.

Dated at Victoria this 28th day of February, 1893.

H. F. HEISTERMAN.
GEO. W. HAYNES.
FOSTER MAGURN.

feb28-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

As complaints have been made by residents of the higher levels that they are unable to obtain water, for the reason that it is being allowed to run to waste on the lower levels, the attention of all those so wasting water is called to the provisions of the "Water Works Prohibition By-Law," under which parties guilty of improperly wasting water are liable on conviction to a penalty of $100.

E. A. WILMOT, Water Commissioner.

January 27, 1893. ja29-tf

BY-LAW

No. 187.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

Sec. 1. The Commissioners of Sewers By-Law, 1892, is hereby repealed.

Passed the Municipal Council on the 10th day of February, 1893.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the Council on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1893.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors of the

CONSUMERS CORDAGE COMPANY, (Ltd.)

Have this day declared a quarterly dividend of one and three-quarters per cent. for the three months ending February 1st, 1893, payable at the Head Office of the Company, Montreal, on March 1st, 1893, to shareholders of record February 20th, 1893.

The Transfer Books will be closed from this date to March 1st inclusive.

CHAS. B. MORRIS, Secretary.

Montreal, 17th February, 1893. fe28-4t

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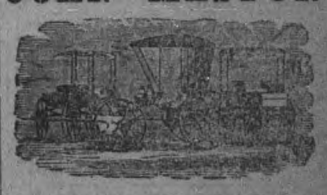

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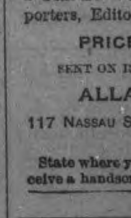

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LOST—On Feb. 26th, on Esquimalt Road, a rough haired terrier pup. Anyone detaining same will be prosecuted. Reward given if returned to 1½ Quebec St. mar

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DR. E. C. FOOT,
B. A. and M. B., University of Dublin, Licentiate Royal College of Surgeons, Ireland. Residence, 159 Michigan Street, James Bay. Office, Jewell Block, corner Yates and Douglas Street. de3

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RICHARD ACKLAND, Hon. Sec'y.

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Pride of the Island No. 131 meets second and fourth Tuesdays at 7:45 p.m., in St. George's Hall, Government and Bastion Sts. Visiting brethren cordially invited. ARTHUR LEE, P.O. Box 782. au31yr Secretary.

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fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

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oct9 K. PFERDNER, K. of R. &S.

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AMUSEMENTS.

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SATURDAY, March 4th.
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By Victoria West Amateur Dramatic Society.
Nevada will be preceded by a
MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.
The proceeds to be given to Mrs. J. Harris, whose husband was killed in the late explosion at Tumbo Island.
Admission 50 and 25 cents. See small bills. mar2-3t

St. Patrick's Day Celebration
UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE SONS OF ERIN.
CONCERT
At Victoria Theatre, on
17th March.
Benefit of Orphans of St. Ann and Protestant Orphans' Home.
Under the patronage of Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney.
Admission, 50 cents. mar2-td

A Lime Light Dissolving View Art
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The Daily Times.

MARITIME PROVINCE "PROSPERITY."

Mr. L. H. Davies, the eloquent Liberal leader from Prince Edward Island, in his speech in the budget debate gave a graphic summing up of the National Policy's results in the Maritime Provinces. From the census returns he showed that the population of all the Mari-time Provinces in 1871 was 763,000; in 1881 it was 870,000; in 1891 it was 880,000. Between 1871 and 1881 the increase was 103,000 and the exodus totalled 50,000. That exodus was bad enough but during the last ten years the exodus had increased to 165,000, or treble under the National Policy what it was prior to the introduction of that "cursed system." The three chief cities of the provinces had added to their total population in ten years a paltry 400 souls, and must have been depleted to the extent of 14,000 people.

Mr. Davies quoted some other very suggestive figures in the course of his speech. Speaking of the shipping of the three provinces he showed from the official returns that the registered tonnage in 1873 was 1,078,000; in 1878 it had increased to 1,333,000 tons. The National Policy then came in and the shipping declined until in 1892 the registered tonnage amounted to only 964,000, a decrease since 1878 of 368,000 tons, of the value of $11,000,000. Giving in detail the figures of the trade of the various Maritime Provinces, Mr. Davies showed that where there was a total trade between 1874 and 1878 inclusive of $174,767,000, between 1878 and 1892 inclusive it amounted to only $167,145,000. The total trade of his own province, Prince Edward Island, had been cut in two, but he believed that interprovincial trade accounted for some of this. He would be sorry if it was not so.

A good many interruptions came from the Conservative side of the House, some of them from members of the Government, and these brought from Mr. Davies a retort that could not have been very pleasing to three occupants of the treasury benches. He quoted census figures showing that during the last ten years 8000 people had flown from King's, N.B., the county of the Minister of Finance; 5000 from the county of the Premier; and 7000 from that of the Minister of Marine, a total loss from three ministerial counties of about 20,000 souls. The following passage from a report of Mr. Davies' speech will be of interest to British Columbians:—

Taking Sir Charles Tupper's grandiloquent promises in 1887 of the magnificent results which were to flow from the heavy iron duties then proposed and carried, Mr. Davies amused the House by reading extracts from the speeches of Sir Charles at that time and then read the cold facts viewed in the light of official figures, showing that in five years this country has paid nearly $4,000,000 extra in the shape of taxes in the hope that some few of Sir Charles Tupper's promises might be realized. Pig iron had a protection of $6 a ton, yet the production of pig iron, which was in 1887 39,728 tons, was 13,400 tons in 1891, and about 20,000 in 1892. The importations, which in 1887 were 45,000, had risen in 1892 to 68,918. Where, then, Mr. Davies asked, were the blast furnaces and the hundreds of thousands of operatives anticipated by Sir Charles Tupper? Even British Columbia Sir Charles dotted over with blast furnaces. Where were they? How many, he asked Col. Prior of Victoria, B.C., existed in that province to-day? Col. Prior laughed, and promptly replied, "Oh, rats," which entities that statesman to be known in future as "Colonel O'Rats."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Says the Mail:—"Although all the Canadian boodlers are not in jail, the country is paying liberally for the cost of prosecuting those who are suspected of the offence. The legal expenses in connection with the Connolly-McGreevy trial at the Ottawa assizes—even though nothing has resulted from it but adjournments—were last year $9600. Talbot and Larose, the two French Canadians who were charged with exploiting the Public Works' supplies, have cost $820, and Mr. Arnoldi, of brass dog fame, involved an expense of $734. The prosecution of Mr. Senecal, who was charged with receiving commissions on Printing Bureau purchases, cost the country $300. The alleged thefts were not the only losses the country owes to its boodlers."

An Ottawa dispatch reads: "The suspicion surrounding the industrial part of the census returns is fast broadening into conviction, and when the Government yesterday, in reply to a question, said that the names and particulars of the industries in any particular locality could not be brought down, there were loud cries of 'Oh! oh!' from the Opposition, and Mr. Lister shouted out, 'You dare not furnish particulars because it would upset your statistics.' The census says there are 167 industries in Petrolia, and there are not 60. If Parliament cannot order the particulars as to the mere number of industries it is rather queer." When the census returns were made public the TIMES showed that the industrial establishments in British Columbia were not all reported. In Eastern Canada the mistake seems to have been on the other side, for indisputable evidence has been offered in support of the charge of exaggerated returns.

The Liberal capture of the Cirencester division of Gloucestershire gave a sort of artistic finish to the Gladstonian successes in the bye-elections. There was a general chorus of Tory jubilation when Col. Master defeated H. L. W. Lawson by a majority of three at the first bye-election in Cirencester, and the subsequent loss of Huddersfield made things look bad for the Government. Now the Liberals have not only recaptured Cirencester but have taken Walsall, Henham and Pontefract from their opponents, giving them a net gain of two seats since the general election. It was fitting that the scene of their first loss should be also the scene of their latest success. There is the further noticeable fact that the Government has gained steadily since Mr. Gladstone's bill was introduced in the Commons, which goes to show that the people of England are not so much prejudiced against the Home Rule idea as they were. The change of opinion in Cirencester seems to have been very extensive. In October Col. Master defeated Mr. Lawson by 4277 votes to 4274, whereas Mr. Lawson has now beaten Col. Master by 4687 to 4445. The Liberal candidate thus secured a decisive majority out of a greatly increased vote.

The Week:—The government's reduction of the duty on two of the many articles in regard to which the demand is being made might be accepted as an earnest of good things to come were it not that every prospect of relief held out in the latter part of Mr. Foster's speech was as carefully guarded by a counter assurance that the protective policy would be maintained. It can hardly be that these vague promises to inquire into the matter and possibly make some readjustments can satisfy the recalcitrant supporters of the government. It is still less supposable that it can satisfy the farmers and others all over the country who are, or believe they are, feeling the pinching of unfair and unnecessarily high taxation for the benefit of a class. As a matter of statesmanship, it is surely bad policy to create a feeling of distrust and misgiving which can hardly fail to have a disturbing and more or less paralyzing effect upon all branches of protected industries for a year. As a matter of responsible administration the point seems well taken, that it is paying a poor compliment to the representatives of the people, who have come from all parts of the Dominion, and may be supposed to know more about the state of business than three or four members of the Government can possibly find out in a year, for the ministers to announce that they will personally inquire into the matter. One might almost ask what is the use of popular representation if it cannot be depended upon for information in a case of this kind.

Gold Mining in New South Wales.

The yield of gold in New South Wales for the year 1892 shows, in common with the other Australian colonies, an increase over that of the previous year, and this result is due to the improved working of existing fields with scientific methods and implements, for which the world is mainly indebted to American mining engineers, and not to the discovery of any new goldfields. A striking typical case of this is found in the history of the Wentworth goldfield, which first attracted attention in 1863, when it was pronounced one of the richest mines of the colony, or, in the words of a local reporter, "a perfect chaos of wealth." Although worked in a promiscuous manner and without any scientific skill by sailors, shoemakers, and other persons innocent of mining knowledge, not less than two millions' worth of gold was extracted from the alluvial clay in the first few years of its existence. In 1865 the water level began to be reached, and the miners of that time, brought into contact with the hard rock (which manual labor could only perforate by inches), gradually gave up the struggle in despair and abandoned the field. The present proprietors, by placing the proper machinery on the ground, have attained the most encouraging results, and seem likely to realize all that was said of this goldfield 30 years ago.

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BEFORE THE SYNOD.

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The petition and counter petition were read for the benefit of those members who were not present during the afternoon.

Rev. Mr. Maxwell wished that the Presbytery would settle their own affairs. If half the zeal displayed by either side had been used to make peace, the matter would never have been brought up. He moved to dismiss the petition.

Rev. Dr. Campbell moved in amendment that the matter be referred to a synodical commission, consisting of the following ministers and Mr. Thornton Fell: Messrs. Scouler, Young, McLaren and MacRae (Nanaimo). The commission to have power to examine into the case and report to the Synod, and if an amicable settlement could not be arrived at, then either party to be allowed the right of appeal to the General Assembly to be held in Brantford in June.

After some little discussion and suggestions of conciliation the matter was laid over till Friday morning.

The Macleod difficulty was resumed in debate on the assembling of Synod this morning. Rev. Mr. McLaren moved his amendment of the previous night. If the parties could not agree there must be a dissolution. The question was who was to go. Mr. Macleod was not perfect, but he was certain that the dissatisfied members of St. Andrew's congregation would never get their ideal minister. These internal troubles were a greater blow to Presbyterianism than if "Bob" Ingersoll had come and openly attacked them.

Rev. Mr. Maxwell believed that the most satisfactory manner to deal with the matter was the appointment of a synodical commission.

Dr. Campbell—The commission would have synodical power and could issue the call at once. Failing a settlement it might then be sent to the general assembly.

Rev. Mr. Robertson thought that the matter should be referred back to the Presbytery with assessors.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan agreed with the previous speaker. He moved that the matter be referred back to the Presbytery of Vancouver Island with assessors.

Rev. Mr. Logan said there was a way out of the difficulty. The pastor might resign, feeling that it was uncomfortable for him to preach to a congregation where so many were hostile. He might conclude that it was in the best interests of the cause of Christ and the church to resign. The petitioners had a large following and one that would make itself felt. If they went out with half the congregation what position would it leave the church in? If with the present congregation the church was going behind, what would be the state of affairs if half of them withdrew? An attempt might be made to restore harmony. And it was to be regretted that in this country where Presbyterianism was gaining such a foothold an old congregation should be so divided. If the petitioners were to apply the energy and zeal which have gained for them a position in this world, the affair could easily be brought to an amicable settlement. The best course was that the matter should be relegated to the proposed commission for settlement.

After considerable discussion it was finally decided to withdraw the motion and amendment and a committee was appointed to bring in a finding on the case in the afternoon. The committee appointed were J. C. Herdman, Dr. Robertson, Dr. Campbell, Rev. E. D. McLaren, Rev. Bethune, Rev. Jos. Buchanan, Rev. Alex. Young and Rev. Alex Shaw.

REFERENCES SUSTAINED.

The reference to the session of St. Andrew's regarding the right to change the pastor's salary was then taken up. Two questions were asked, if the congregation had the power to reduce the salary of the minister without his consent, had the Presbytery the right of cancellation of a written agreement?

J. M. McLeod—The congregation had no power of reduction. The Presbytery alone had the power to fix a salary and it alone could have power to change it.

Rev. Mr. Shaw thought the minister's salary could not be reduced without his consent.

Dr. Campbell began speaking when Mr. McLeod arose and stated that Dr. Campbell was again getting back on the petition. The question was "was the written resolution of the congregational meeting to reduce the pastor's salary *ultra vires*?" It was just a means of getting a side wind on the subject.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan asked if Mr. McLeod, being a party to the resolution, had the right of floor.

Mr. McLeod—I only asked for a ruling. I don't consider that I have any rights.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan—The petitioners have no rights and why Mr. McLeod?

Moderator Scouler then read the resolution in question.

Rev. Dr. Robertson—The congregation has no right to change the salary. If the congregation had this right it would be an easy matter for a congregation to oust a pastor by paying him an insignificant sum. The Presbytery could reduce the salary upon presentation of the case by the congregation.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan—The congregation were bound to pay the salary. He asked, was there not a fourth party to the affair? Was not a personal bond given to Rev. Mr. Macleod? He asked the question through the moderator.

Mr. Macleod—I received the usual guarantee which was attested. A private document was signed by some gentlemen which was also forwarded to me. They guaranteed my salary for three years. They were not called upon.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan—The blunder began when a motion was made to reduce the pastor's salary. It was *ultra vires*. The explanation of Mr. Macleod has put matters in a different light.

Rev. Mr. Young moved, sustaining the reference. The congregation had no power to change the pastor's salary, nor had the Presbytery the right to cancel a written agreement without the consent of the pastor. The motion was put and carried.

Mr. Robertson then asked the moderator for information as to the requisite mode of procedure necessary on the part of the congregation in the event of the church funds not being in such a state as to permit of full payment of a pastor's stipend and it being found necessary to reduce the same.

In reply the moderator stated that the course to be pursued was that when the managers placed before the congregation a statement of the church's financial position and that this showed incapacity to pay the stipulated stipend out of the revenue, it was in the power of the congregation to give directions to the managers to forward same through the session to the presbytery.

On hearing this reply Mr. Robertson submitted that this was just the course followed by the congregation in this instance.

The Synod adjourned for lunch.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled

The Empress of China will sail for the Orient on Monday. A good freight and a fair passenger list have been booked for the passage.

The sealer Wanderer, with Capt. Harry Paxton in command, and Capt. Pinckney as navigator, left for the coast to-day. She sailed out of the harbor and will take an Indian crew on the coast.

MINERS DISCUSS POLITICS.

Mass Meeting for To-morrow Night—Painful Accident—Texada Mines.

NANAIMO, March 3.—The miners' mass meeting called for to-morrow is for the purpose of deciding whether it is the intention of those now employed in the mines to uphold and belong to the organization known as the Mine Laborers Protective Association. The afternoon session will be devoted to the discussion of the political situation.

Bertha Cameron, living with her parents at East Wellington, was badly burned on Wednesday evening. She was cooking at the stove when her apron caught fire and she was seriously burned.

At a recent meeting of the Texada Gold and Silver Mining Company a committee was appointed to draw up a plan for this year's operations. It has been decided to sink another shaft on the copper lode, which is three and a half feet thick and of a high grade.

A convention of the district lodges of the I.O.G.T. was held in Temperance Hall yesterday, when committees from Wellington, Northfield, Somenos, Chemainus and Cowichan were present. An evening session was held to complete the business of the convention.

The ladies of Nanaimo have announced that they will give a conversazione in the Opera House next month in aid of the hospital.

The funeral of Michael Bradley, killed on Wednesday in No. 6 shaft Wellington, took place to-day.

The steamer Romulus arrived last night for a cargo of new V.C.Co. coal.

A New Canadian Magazine.

The Canadian Magazine is a new and promising venture in the literary line. It is published at Toronto by the Ontario Publishing Company and is edited by Mr. J. Gordon Mowat, who is more familiarly known as "Moses Oates." Judging from the first number, the magazine will be successful; it will at least deserve success if it is kept up to the standard of excellence shown at the start. "Live" Canadian topics are dealt with by Canadian writers in a manner that must command the attention of Canadians generally. In the March number Dalton McCarthy discourses on the Manitoba school law from his point of view. Rev. Principal Grant writes on "Anti-National Features of the National Policy"—a very live question at the present moment. Rev. Dr. Blackstock sets forth the claims of the Norsemen to be known as the real discoverers of America. Prof. Wm. Clark, of Trinity College, Toronto, writes of "Conduct and Manner," and the writer's name is a guarantee of the excellence of his essay. "In the Shadow of the Arctic," by W. W. Fox, is an interesting paper on the exploratory expedition to Hudson's Bay. Articles of a more cosmopolitan character are contributed by Hector W. Charlesworth on "Some Modernisms of the Stage," and by John Home Cameron on the "Quartier Latin." "The Regenerators" is a humorous sketch by "Uncle Thomas," and short stories are furnished by Wm. T. James and Edward J. Toker. "Sir Lancelot," by Wm. Wilfred Campbell the well known Canadian poet, is the most ambitious poetical effort. Pauline Johnson, the Mohawk authoress, contributes verses on "The Birds' Lullaby," and S. P. Morse an ode "In Imitation of Horace." The illustrations in the magazine are numerous, and altogether the publication looks well. The subscription price is $2.50 a year.

Arrival of the Japan.

HONGKONG, March 3.—The C.P.R. Co.'s steamship Empress of Japan arrived here at 8 this morning.

Famous Cambridge sausages, Bologna sausages, pork pies, bacon, ham and poultry, at Whitelaw & Co's., 72 Fort street.

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FRANK BAKEMAN HERE.

Principal of the Canada Western Scheme Back From Chicago.

Mr. Frank Bakeman, of the Canada Western, or British Pacific Railway Company, as it is proposed to call it, arrived in the city last evening from Chicago, after an absence from the city of several months. He was met at Seattle by C. W. Higgins and Col. A. J. Kane, who accompanied him back to the city. He was seen at the Victoria Hotel by a TIMES man, but said that he had little for publication. He desired, he said, to confer with Mr. Rithet and others before making any statement. He stated that the financial arrangements made were of a most satisfactory nature. His trip is to arrange certain details and he will be here for several weeks. Mr. K. Jones, of Seattle, formerly superintendent of the Seattle Lake Shore & Eastern Railway, who is now identified with British Columbia's great enterprise, is expected to arrive here to-night from Seattle.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

The Islander brought three days' mail last evening.

Cedar Hill lodge, C.O.O.F., will meet to-morrow evening.

The street committee are having the streets thoroughly cleaned up.

A lime light exhibition is to be given this evening in Calvary Baptist church.

Mrs. Hampson-Hemus' revival services were brought to a close last evening.

Mrs. Smith, wife of police officer Smith, last evening presented her husband with a son.

The Y.P.L.A. of the First Presbyterian church will hold an entertainment next Monday evening.

The B. C. St. George's Society will meet this evening in the Pioneer Hall, Broad street, for the transaction of important business.

The first through freight train over the Great Northern arrived at Seattle Wednesday. Seattle has at present three transcontinental lines at her door.

Mr. E. Hutcherson, World's Fair commissioner, arrived from the Mainland last evening with an expert packer, who will arrange the specimens for shipment to Chicago.

The London Mercantile Association (foreign), with offices at Nelson; the Standard Loan & Savings Company (foreign), New Westminster; and Western Star lodge, No. 10, I.O.O.F., have been duly incorporated.

Ole Olson Coming.

A broad grin will overspread the faces of theatre goers when it is announced that "Ole Olson" will soon be presented at the opera house. This Swedish dialect comedy, which has proved one of the most wonderful successes of the past two seasons, introduces to the stage a new and altogether delightful character. "Ole Olson" is a quiet unobtrusive immigrant, whose efforts to master the idioms and pronunciations of our tongue are vastly amusing. The peculiar and ludicrously exasperating stolidity of the flaxen-haired descendant of the Vikings offers a splendid field for quaint and novel comedy work, and the author has taken advantage of it. Arrangements have been made with Prof. Pferdner for a permanent orchestra of six pieces, consisting of piano, violin, cornet, trombone, clarionette and flute.

In Chambers.

The following cases were disposed of in chambers by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease:

Adams vs. Duck—Application for examination of defendant and discovery of documents. Granted. Mr. Belyea for plaintiff and Mr. Mills for defendant.

Lorimer vs. Jensen—Application to dismiss for want of prosecution. One week granted plaintiff to deliver statement of claim and costs to be defendant's costs in the cause. Mr. Belyea for plaintiff and Mr. Jay for defendant.

Phœnix vs. Brewster—Application of plaintiff to garnish money in hands of Mr. Holland. Summons dismissed. Mr. Walls for plaintiff.

McNeill and Party.

A telegram was received at provincial police headquarters this morning from Constable McNeill, who went to the wreck of the steamer Michigan over two weeks ago. The message came from Carmanah Point, to which place communication has been restored. It was feared for a time that something had happened to the constable's party. His failing to report will be understood when it is stated that he had no way of reporting. He stated that the wreck of the Michigan is in bad condition, that the cargo has been destroyed and that the machinery is now good for nothing It has not been raining, but has been blowing. McNeill and his companions will return on the next steamer.

Passengers by the Umatilla.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 3.—Passengers by the steamer Umatilla for Victoria:—J. Fletcher, A. Elliott, F. P. Nathan, Mrs. L. O'Brien, C. P. Dornelly, M. L. Glowner and wife, Mrs. Nellie Warren, Max Leiser, Mrs. Darrah and two children, A. Phillips, M. Vane and wife.

Cleaning Up.

The health authorities paid another visit to Chinatown last evening, and as a result 10 Chinamen have been summoned to appear in the police court to answer to charges of overcrowding. Others have been ordered to clean up their premises.

Social Dance.

A social dance will be held in the Harmony hall on Saturday evening at 8:30. Admission gents, 50 cents; ladies free.

Charts, tide tables, nautical books and almanacks at J. Johnson & Co.'s

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County Court.

The Chief Justice, after having disposed of all the undefended cases and judgment summonses, adjourned the court till Tuesday next at 11 a.m.

St. Patrick's Day.

A committee of the Sons of Erin have arranged for an entertainment in the Victoria theatre on St. Patrick's day. The entertainment will be distinctively Irish.

Remanded Till Monday.

Sam Leggatt, who attempted to break into Mr. Smith's store, at 58 Fort street, was up in the police court this morning. His case was remanded until Monday.

Weekly Service.

The C.P.N. company are going to put two steamers, the Danube and Louise, on the northern route during the summer months. A boat will leave here every week.

Department Drill.

The fire department will turn out for drill at 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The corner of Wharf and Fort streets being the least frequented portion of the city on Saturday afternoons has been chosen as the place for practice.

Far West Lodge.

Far West lodge, No. 1, K. of P., meets to-night. The degree of page will be conferred on two new members. Pythianism is fairly booming in British Columbia, new members being added to all the lodges at every meeting.

The Sick Mariners.

Capt. Gaudin, agent of the marine department, has been authorized to accept the offer of the Jubilee hospital directors to care for the sick mariners at $10 per week and $27 50 in case of death. The directors are to consider the matter at a meeting to be held on Tuesday evening.

To be Independent.

Robert A. Renwick has gone to Nelson to assume charge of the Nelson Miner for Capt. Clive Phillipps Wolley, who recently purchased it. It is the intention to build the paper up and make it the leading one of the Kootenay country. It will be fearlessly independent.

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Four Months.

A Chinese servant employed at the Balmoral restaurant, was caught taking change out of proprietor Garland's coat pocket a few days ago. He was arrested by Sergeant Hawton last evening and this morning Magistrate Macrae sentenced him to four months in the common jail.

Refused to Pay the Fees.

Wee Sing, a Chinese merchant, was summoned to appear in the police court this morning to answer to the charge of refusing to pay the inspector of weights and measures the inspection fees. Wee Sing did not appear but he sent the fees to the inspector and the case was dismissed.

In the Cause of Charity.

The prospects are that the performance at Philharmonic Hall to-morrow night for the benefit of Mrs. J. Harris, whose husband was killed at Tumbo Island a month ago, will be very well attended. The Victoria West amateurs have in the past established a very good reputation and Nevada, the piece which they present, is a good one.

Timber Rebate.

Last evening's Gazette contains a notice to the effect that the order-in-council approved on the first day of June, 1891, which authorized the discontinuance of the allowance of the rebate on the royalty received from timber exported from the province, has been rescinded, and that from and after date a rebate of 25 cents per M foot will be allowed on all lumber shipped to foreign ports since the 31st of August, 1891, which has paid the royalty imposed by the "Land Act," provided all arrears of royalty are paid forthwith.

Claims Heavy Damages.

The case of the N. E. T. & L. Company, L'td., against Patterson and McKay, was being heard to-day in the Supreme Court before Drake, J., and the following special jury: L. B. Hamlin (foreman), John Teague, George C. Mesher, R. A. Brown, H. Mansell, A. B. Erskine, W. S. Geepel, D. Doig.

[Patterson and McKay are the parties to whom the contract for the construction of the roadbed, etc., was awarded and the company contend that the work was improperly done; that the ties were not laid according to specifications, viz., with the feet centres; that the ties they furnished are seven feet instead of eight feet long; and that the rolling stock has been greatly damaged by reason of defects in the construction of the roadbed. The company accordingly claims $15,000 damages. The defence claims among other things that the specifications were changed by direction of the managing director, D. W. Higgins.

Hon. Theodore Davie, Q.C., and Mr. A. L. Belyea appear for the tramway company; Mr. E. V. Bodwell for Patterson and A. J. McColl, Q.C., and Mr. W. J. Taylor for McKay. The case will last several days.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

THE RING.

GODDARD AND SMITH.

NEW ORLEANS, March 3.—The multitude of local and visiting sports are on the qui vive in anticipation of a rattling mill to-night in the amphitheatre of the Olympic Club between the heavy weights Joe Goddard and Ed. Smith. The purse is a good sized one, $10,000, and each man is out for blood. This will be Goddard's first appearance in the ring before a New Orleans audience, and the aspirant for championship honors in the pugilistic world has been doing his own training at Biloxi, Miss. He has been working with Dawson and Ed. Alexander, and the latter with Billy Madden will second him in the ring. He has only seen his antagonist once, and is not doing much talking. He is a trifle taller than Smith and will go into the ring having a few pounds the best of it. Goddard has every incentive to do his best, owing to Corbett's refusal to make a match with him.

Big Ed. Smith of Denver, his opponent, has been training at Scranton, Miss., getting up early in the morning, and boxing, running and wrestling, also punching the bag from daylight to sunset. He has done considerable talking and professes his ability to knock out Joe Goddard with ease. The books show odds of one to four on Goddard, and five to two on Smith. The chances are that the latter will be mince-meat before his opponent has done with him. George Godfrey licked him out of his shoes, Choynski knocked out Godfrey, and Goddard whipped the former twice in mills of four rounds each.

Goddard is clumsy and awkward to boot, but he has never been charged with lacking gameness, while the ex-Pittsburger faints at the idea of a finish fight. In his mill with Godfrey he lost heart early, and gave up when he might have won had he presented a bold front to "Old Chocolate." The general opinion is that Goddard will "lay him out" without trouble.

LEWIS AND ROEBER.

NEW ORLEANS, March 3.—Last night was a kind of an "off" night in the Olympic Club tournament, as nothing stronger was offered by way of attraction to the local and visiting sports than a wrestling match between Evan Lewis and Roeber for a purse of $2000. The "pugs" do not "go heavy" on wrestling, and so the event was not very largely patronized. Evan Lewis is the favorite at odds of two to one. The match was for the wrestling championship of the United States. It included mixed styles. The general impression was that Lewis would have to hustle to retain his reputation, for his opponent is not only a big, strong man, but he has been trained at Muldoon's Belfast, N.Y., farm, and has had a severe course of training. Not only this, but Muldoon and Lewis hate each other, and Muldoon promised to be in Roeber's corner.

LABLANCHE HEARD FROM.

NEW YORK, March 3.—A despatch was received at the office of a sporting paper to-day from New Orleans, to the effect that George LaBlanche is willing to fight Buffalo Costello, Alexander Greggains or Jack Dempsey at catch weights, or 154 pounds, in the club offering the largest purse, the Coney Island Club preferred.

RYAN'S SPRAINED ANKLE.

NEW ORLEANS, March 3.—Tommy Ryan, the Chicago welter weight, sprained his ankle while training near New Orleans and will not now fight George Dawson at any time. It looks like a clear "fluke" and it is Mr. Ryan's second offense. He could hardly have won and the Americans, especially Chicago people, who had their money on him, may congratulate themselves. Ryan will not get a chance against a good man for a good purse for some time to come.

BASEBALL.

A FOUR-CLUB LEAGUE.

The Northwest will have a four-club league this year which will include Seattle, Tacoma, Portland and probably the Bellingham Bay towns combined in the support of one team.

WATCHED THE CATCHER.

There was a semi-social semi-business gathering of the members of the James Bay Baseball Club at the home of Fred Jackson last evening. The happy feature of the evening was the presentation to Mr. John Hannan of a gold watch and chain. Mr. Hannan is the club's most efficient catcher, and has stood by the organization through thick and thin. It was decided to organize a nine and challenge the V.A.C. team for a game on Good Friday. Practice for the game will begin at an early date. Secretary Franklin was directed to issue the challenge. The club proposes to do all in its power to foster the game this season.

VICTORIA CLUB.

The Victoria Baseball Club was reorganized last evening with the following officers: W. Wriglesworth, president; C. Copeland, captain; and J. R. Phillips, secretary-treasurer. A meeting of the club will be held on Monday.

ATHLETICS.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

The Victoria Athletic Club elected officers as follows; President, P. J. Hall; vice-president, E. Gilligan (re-elected); treasurer, W. J. Boughner (re-elected); secretary, W. Weiler (re-elected); treasurer, P. J. Davies; captain, B. P. Gouge; directors, C. T. Wriglesworth, H. P. Mellish, John Bennet, James Wiltz and G. A. Clarke.

COMING TUG-OF-WAR.

The firemen and draymen practised in the Market Hall last evening. It is expected that they will decide which is the better team on Easter Monday. The firemen and C Battery are also arranging for a match.

CHALLENGE TO A TUG.

The proprietor of the Bay View saloon has challenged the proprietor of the Belmont saloon to pull a tug-of-war for a purse of $100 or $200, or a $150 silver cup put up by the Bay View saloon. The Belmont man is to be allowed to select any men he chooses to form a team.

BROWN'S ORIGINAL OFFER.

John Brown of Humboldt street is ambitious to meet any hod carrier in the city, or anyone able to carry a hod of red bricks around Beacon Hill, return and up a 40 foot ladder.

PEDESTRIANISM.

TWO AMATEURS TO RUN.

Local lovers of amateur sport are looking forward to a half mile run to come off some fine day this spring. Colin Blain and Harry Dalby will be the contestants. The men met once before and Blain had the best of it. Both are fleet and the match should be a pretty one.

FOOTBALL.

RAISING FUNDS.

The Junior Victoria Rugby Football Club will give an entertainment in Philharmonic Hall, on March 18th to raise money to help defray the expenses of their trip to the Mainland on Good Friday. They are meeting with fair success in the sale of tickets.

LACROSSE.

THE JUNIORS.

The boys of Victoria West have organized a lacrosse team and have commenced practicing. The James Bay boys have also brushed the dust off of their sticks.

CANOEING.

THE CLUB HOUSE.

Capt. Dan McIntosh is overhauling the boathouse to be used by the canoe club. There will be room for about 50 canoes and dressing rooms.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province.

Supt. Abbott of the C.P.R. is in the city.

T. H. Osgood, the electrician, is in the city

Capt. S. F. Scott leaves for Liverpool this evening.

Thomas Hooper returned last evening from the mainland.

R. B. Kerr has made application to be called to the bar.

W. Cryderman returned yesterday from a trip to Seattle.

E. J. Palmer, manager of the Chemainus mill, is in the city.

E. J. O'Sullivan and bride returned from the east last evening.

Mrs. Metherell left last evening for Ontario to visit her parents.

Col. Kane and C. W. Higgins returned from the Sound yesterday.

Mr. Alexander, Miss Alexander and Miss Sutton, of Duncan's Station are in the city.

Samual Mellard has been appointed registrar of births, deaths and marriages at Chilliwack.

C. H. Pennington, one of the owners of the steamer J. R. McDonald, arrived in the city last evening.

F. C. Gamble, government engineer, is back from Ottawa with the plans for the quarantine station.

Dr. Metherell leaves on Sunday evening for Kaslo, where he will locate. He goes up by way of Spokane.

Dr. E. B. C. Hannington has resigned his position as member of the consulting staff of the Jubilee hospital.

Frank Hurst, representing Ole Olsen, and Matt. L. Berry of the Spider and the Fly company are in the city.

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J. B. Tirrell, of the Canadian Geological Survey, has returned to Regina, N.W.T., from the exploration of the Athabasca country and was interviewed by a Montreal Star man. Mr. Tirrell penetrated as far as 400 miles north of Prince Albert, which is over 200 miles north of Regina. He was three months in the country lying north of the Churchill river and south of Lake Athabasca and the Black river. He found the country composed largely of granite, with volcanic rocks, which will doubtless prove rich in minerals. Iron appeared to be plentiful. For 200 miles north of Prince Albert the land is good. Beyond that is rock and sand. This barren region is the wintering ground of herds of caribou, which come down in October from the treeless and barren country north. They live on reindeer moss, which grows thick on the rocks. Moose and bear are also plentiful. Professor Tirrell's party consisted of nine men, and they lived principally on venison. This country has never been explored before, and many inaccuracies were found on maps, on all of which the district was marked "unexplored." Such large natural features as Lake Athabasca and Wolleston lake were found to be laid down erroneously, being from thirty to forty miles out of true position. Lake Athabasca is clear, fresh water, and is about as large as Lake Ontario, Lake Wolleston being about half as large. Trout and whitefish abound in all the lakes and streams thore. There are few birds, chiefly ducks and partridges. The country is totally uninhabited, but is the hunting ground of the Chippewa Indians.

Lake Athabaska freezes over in December and both lakes remain frozen all winter. The Chippewas of the region are a peculiar people. They have prominent crooked noses and allow their long black hair to fall over their faces. They dress in deer skins and live in deer skin tepees. After ten days' traveling up the Cariboo River, a tributary of the Churchill River, the party came to the edge of the most beautiful lake they had ever seen, called Cree Lake. Professor Terrill describes this as clear as crystal, without a tinge of blue, and one can see to the bottom at a great depth. Cree River flows northward out of this lake and for fifty miles it is a continuous surging cataract, large and dangerous bowlders rendering navigation indescribably perilous; but it was successfully descended by the Tirrell party. The explorers, while surveying Black River, were constantly tortured by millions of flies and mosquitoes. In fact, a Chippewa legend marks this locality as the place where the Wassekachack, their god and creator, first made these insects.

About Aug. 18 the party reached Hatchet Lake, so called because its fish are so large that when caught they cannot be killed with a knife, but have to be despatched with hatchets or axes. On the homeward journey Whitefish Lake and many streams were surveyed. Although this is the third largest lake met during the whole trip, it has never appeared on maps. Mr. Tirrell has obtained enough information about this hitherto unknown and wonderful region to enable him to get out a new and accurate map. He has brought back a collection of geological specimens.

How to Pronounce Welsh.

The Welsh language looks like a jaw breaker, but it is said not to be. Nearly all the names of the villages in Wales begin with the syllable "Llan," which the Listener has been told means saint in Welsh. If it does, there must have been an appalling number of Welsh saints. But by far the greater part of these village names are simple, easy words, like the following, which are genuine names and to be found on any good map of Wales:

Llanrhyddlad.
Llanrhwydrys.
Llangwyllog.
Llangacbwaladyr.
Llandisilliogogo.
Llanlbwchaiarn.
Llanbwdarnfynds.
Langynyw.

The Listener once knew some excellent Welsh people who insisted that no language in the world is so free from hard words as Welsh. They cited the word cwrw as proof of the falsity of the notion that Welsh words are unpronounceable. This fascinating word is pronounced exactly as if it were pronounced kooroo; and it means beer. "To hear a Welshman pronounce that word is enough to make one's mouth water. You might remain insensible to the temptations of mere beer, but an invitation to take a glass of kooroo, otherwise cwrw, is irresistible."

Oklahoma's Water Tree.

The people of Stillwater are greatly mystified over a remarkable natural phenomenon which exists near that town. In the field of Robert Copper, south of that place, stands a large cottonwood tree, with its branches leaning out over the bed of a little creek. A few weeks ago a party of picnickers stopped under the tree and were startled by finding that there was a continual shower of water falling from its leaves and branches. It is in the shape of a fine mist or drizzle, but can be plainly felt and seen at all times. Although it had not rained in that part of the territory for weeks, the fall of water from that tree has kept up continually, and crowds of people come from a distance every day to view the wonderful curiosity. Those scientifically inclined speculate, theorize and give it up, the superstitious ones shake their heads ominously, but the tree keeps right on sending down its shower, and whenever the sun is shining a beautiful rainbow can be seen under its branches. Who can explain the mystery?

To Clean Paint.

Clean varnished woodwork with warm water to which some tea has been added. For white paint use warm soap suds and a soft flannel cloth. Commence to wash painted doors at the bottom instead of at the top. Dust your paint carefully with a soft brush before attempting to wash it.

No Use There Now.

Mrs. Kingley—Has Mrs. Wiltern' sudden deafness affected her materially.

Mrs. Binga—She has been obliged to resign from the church sewing circle.

DALTON McCARTHY.

Sketch of the Life of the Brilliant Member for North Simcoe.

D'Alton McCarthy was born in Dublin 56 years ago. His family emigrated to Canada while D'Alton was quite young, so that by education and business training he is a thorough Canadian. The county of Simcoe claims him as its son, for there he was educated and there he practiced his profession until after he had made his mark in public life, when he removed to Toronto, still, however, retaining a family influence, a large practice and a political connection with the country. Mr. McCarthy's family, for two generations, practiced law in Dublin and he naturally took to the same vocation when looking about for a calling in life. He was called to the bar of Upper Canada in 1859, being then only 23 years of age. For seven or eight years he applied himself with much success to the business of his law office, and rapidly became known as a clever advocate and a sound lawyer. It was during this period that he laid the foundation on which his subsequent reputation as a great lawyer was based.

Under the new order of things Mr. McCarthy at once stepped out into public life. In the very first general election after con-

D'ALTON MCCARTHY, Q. C., M. P.

federation, and before it was a year old, his services were called for in his native county, which has been his political hunting ground ever since. It was after many unequal struggles that he was returned to the House of Commons in 1876, but for 10 years prior to that date he has an active and no small force in the counsels and operations of the Conservative party to whom he was allied. He stood for Simcoe in 1872 and in 1874 against H. H. Cook but was defeated, and in 1876, when Cardwell was opened by the death of the Hon. John Hillyard Cameron, he accepted a nomination and was returned for that constituency, returning to Simcoe, however, in 1878, when he defeated Mr. Cook in a memorable contest. In 1882 the county was reconstituted into electoral districts and Mr. McCarthy, selecting the North Riding, has held it since against all comers, among them being the Hon. Chas. Drury, the Hon. T. W. Anglin and his oldtime opponent, H. H. Cook.

Meantime his career at the bar was one continued series of successes. In 1872 the distinction of Queen's Counsel was conferred upon him, and his position becoming one of recognized prominence, the purple of the Q. C. led to a coveted seat among the Benchers of the Law Society of Ontario. He had been engaged in a great many cases of first-class importance, has represented the Dominion Government again and again before the Privy Council in London, and has held briefs involving millions of dollars from great corporations. As a criminal lawyer he stands high, in Chancery he is a recognized authority and in other departments of law he is in the very first rank. While there may be special branches of law in which the opinions of two or three lawyers in the Dominion might be considered more weighty than his, there are not many lawyers at the Canadian bar, for in all-round practice, who can be more safely relied upon than Mr. McCarthy. As a pleader he is very effective. His style is sharp, incisive, his glance keen and searching, his summing up a model of conciseness and lucidity. While not as subtle as Mr. Christopher Robinson, or as powerful as Mr Edward Blake, he is not far behind them in substantial ability.

But it is as a man of public affairs that Mr. McCarthy's career and his mental gifts claim first attention. In the House he became a leading member of the government party and probably no member of the cabinet, with the possible exception of Sir Charles Tupper, was deeper in Sir John's confidence. As he himself said the other day in the course of his great speech, "In Sir John's life-time for the last 15 years no change was made in the Cabinet, nor was there any important line of policy adopted, or business undertaken, as to which I was not consulted." His name is identified with no inconsiderable amount of legislation, while his work of committees of the house was extensive and important. In the country he was regarded as the stoutest of the government defenders and the pungency of his criticism never failed to make his opponents wince. As an aggresive debater he has had few equals, and no matter what the topic, place a strong opponent before him to be knocked down, and no more witty or eloquent declaimer could be brought into the ring. But it would not be the clever performance of a mere declaimer. There would be close reasoning, able argument, fertility of resource in the tactics of debate, brilliant outbreaks of oratory and a magnetic force most dangerous to the strongest antagonist. Hence his name has been a power to conjure with and wherever he has appeared, for these many years, crowds have flocked to hear him.

Mr. McCarthy is in the prime of life, full of physical and mental vigor. He is naturally persistent in his efforts. He is ambitious, public-spirited and proud. When he has put his hand to the plow, it is not with the intention of looking back, and the cause he has now espoused will be pushed not only with ability, but with a determination to win success, which will not flinch even should unexpected reverses of fortune strew his path.

In private life Mr. McCarthy is held in the highest esteem. He has been successful on the material side of his profession and is reputed wealthy. His philanthropy is marked and a good cause always finds in him a generous friend. He is possessed of a genial, free disposition, has numerous personal friends who mostly become enthusiastic admirers. There is a little narrowness in his opinions, his sympathies being wide and his tastes broadened by liberal culture. Learned, versatile, open-minded and earnest, he is a man to impress a stranger favorably and to fascinate a friend. On his new crusade the good wishes of many who do not dip deeply in politics will go with him and many will watch with keen personal interest the progress of his fight to success.

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mpress of India ..	May 24, "	June 5, "
mpress of Japan..	June 14, "	June 26, "
mpress of China..	July 5, "	July 17, "
mpress of India ..	July 26, "	Aug. 7, "
mpress of Japan	Aug. 16, "	Aug. 28, "
mpress of China..	Sept. 6, "	Sept. 18, "
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	12 54 P M	6 00 P M	VICTORIA	78		8 00 A M	2 30 P M	0
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	11 43	5 10	ESQUIMALT	76		8 11	2 41	2
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	10 40	4 14	GOLDSTREAM	66		8 40	3 10	13
	10 27	3 53	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	63		8 54	3 24	16
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	9 15	2 34	SOMENOS	49		10 06	4 36	30
	8 55	2 14	OYSTER BAY SIDING	45		10 26	4 56	34
	8 35		NAYAIMO	41		10 45	5 15	38
	8 10	1 30	WELLINGTON	36		11 10	5 40	43
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4 30 pm	Ar	110	...Victoria!...	MI	Lv	8 30 pm

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9 00 pm	Lv	28	....Seattle....	100	Lv	2 30 pm
12 15 am	Lv	72	Pt. Townsend.	55	Lv	11 30 am
2 45 am	Lv	101	..Anacortes..	21	Lv	9 15 am
7 45 am	Ar	123	..Fairhaven..	3	Lv	8 00 am
6 10 am	Ar	131	....Sehome....	1	Lv	7 30 am
4 30 am	Ar	132	...Whatcom...	MI	Lv	6 00 am

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11 00 pm	Lv	28	...*Seattle....	58	Ar	6 pm
12 30 am	Lv	59	.Port Madison	47	Lv	2 10 pm
	Lv	45	...Kingston...	41	Lv	
3 00 am	Lv	49	.Port Gamble.	21	Lv	11 00 am
4 00 am	Lv	73	.Port Ludlow.	13	Lv	10 00 am
6 00 am	Ar	86	Pt. Townsend	MI	Lv	8 00 am

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Both Sides in the St. Andrew's Church Difficulty State Their Cases.

Mr. McMicking Charges Rev. Mr. Macleod with Being Unworkable and Strong Willed.

Rev. Mr. Macleod Repudiates the Charge and Urges an Amicable Settlement.

The synod reassembled at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. R. B. McMicking asked if the petitioners would have the right of reply to the session at St. Andrew's church.

Rev. Mr. McLeod—"I think one party has as much right of reply as another. The only fair way is to let each side speak once."

Moderator Scouler ruled that each arty should be heard only once.

Mr. McMicking continued his address. t seemed that an attempt had been nade to override the ballot and extract rom the congregation by a system of noral torture their support. This action could well be relegated to the dark ages. The petitioners appeared on behalf of the majority of the congregation. He did not wish to call in question the abilities of the pastor, but the pastor was unworkable and unmanageable. The pastor would have his own way; if a manager attempted to suggest an idea there was trouble.

C. G. Ballentyne gave a statement of the finances of St. Andrew's church. From this statement he said that it would be seen that the congregation in four or five years would be bankrupt and a receiver would be in order. The managers found a deficit of $918 against them in the bank. If they overdrew without appealing to the congregation, they would be personally responsible. The managers asked the pastor to accept a portion of his salary, $150, stating that he would be paid the balance when it came in. Mr. Macleod had since his connection with the church been paid $312 50 per month in advance. No other church could show a better record and they asked him to take his salary at the end of the month for once. He refused and that was the beginning of the unpleasantness.

When Mr. Macleod became pastor, the general revenue was $5735; the expenditure, $6153; deficit, $398; 1889, revenue, $5647; expenditure, $6112; deficit, $465; 1890, revenue $7047; expenditure, $6483; credit, $564; 1891, revenue, $6391; expenditure, $7106; deficit, $715; 1892, revenue, $6157; expenditure, $6561; deficit, $404.

There was a deficit every year but one and the deficits greatly exceeded the credit. There was a building account deficit of $2916. The cost of the church was $62,000. The congregation contributed $14,000. There was due in interest to the Robson estate the sum of $12,340. The church was behind $14,397. It would require $4797 yearly to pay interest and that could not be done with the present revenue. The only solution for the church was to place affairs on a new footing and to change pastor.

Mr. Hutcheson stated that there was no one more sorry than he to say that Rev. Macleod's usefulness had been impaired. It was a disagreeable task for him to stand on the platform and speak against a man whom he honored so much. But he was convinced that affairs would go from bad to worse, if there were not a change of pulpit.

Rev. Mr. McLeod then presented his case. He did not wish to hurt the personal feelings of anyone. He had been 21 years in the Presbyterian pastorate and had presided over four congregations, and had no disputes with those under his spiritual charge. He did not know of any undercurrent until the present difficulty cropped up. His feelings towards the petitioners were those of Mr. Hutcheson towards him. The statement of Mr. Ballentyne that there were only 150 affirmative answers to 380 circulars, and that the majority was against the pastor, did only prove that the congregation was with the pastor, if with anyone. Capital had been made out of the fact that the members of his family had voted and the managers had not. If the managers would deduct the votes of their families he would be willing to deduct the five votes of his family. He would call the attention of the synod to the fact that while the managers' resignation was accepted no vote of thanks was passed. A document had been taken from door to door, and signatures obtained to it. This document was supposed to take the place of the vote of thanks that was not given. He was glad that Mr. Robertson struck the keynote in his speech. He said that the purpose of these gentlemen was to dissolve the pastoral tie. There was not a word in the petition about this matter. Perhaps that was the undercurrent. They said that they took their stand on the financial affairs. But now it turned out that their purpose was the resignation of the pastor. Their brethren had brought into the court a purpose sprung upon the people and the pastor.

He had never labored in a congregation where he was not loved and honored. If it be that it would be beneficial to the church that the pastoral tie should be broken it would not last very long.

Mr. McMicking had said that the feeling grew stronger every day. He never knew men incensed by anger grow milder, and some of the members of the church were in such a state of mind. Because he had used a sermon in which reference had been made to the twelve apostles he was accused of doing it with a purpose. The fact that some members who welcomed him back when he had temporarily left his pulpit and now fail to derive benefit from his sermons, was not the change in himself or his sermons but in the minds and hearts of those people. The whole force was turned against the pastor but the pastor did not stand alone. Mr. McMicking had said it was a painful thing. He knew that it was. He felt it painful to look into the face of Mr. McMicking. That gentleman had been his greatest friend. It was a sense of duty that actuated Mr. McMicking in his action. He believed it. It was also a sense of duty that had made people pile fagots around Christian heretics. John Calvin had burned Servetus at the stake. If he walked out of the pulpit would that benefit matters? What would be the effect? The last state of affairs would be a great deal worse than the first. The tremendous hostility to the circular letter was easily understood. It brought in a large number of affirmative answers, and not under ballot. If it had brought half a dozen answers it would have been just the thing and would conclusively have proved that his usefulness was over. The petitioners had stated that they were loyal. The new board of managers had not been in two months when the petitioners interfered with them and wanted to put down the pastor's salary to $2000. Was that loyalty? If these petitioners had let the present board go on in their own way for a twelvemonth, then they would have had a glorious opportunity to show them up. But the new managers were conducting affairs rightly and the petitioners did not wish them to have a chance. It had been said that he had a strong will and was unworkable. It was true that he had a strong will. He would not give a straw for a man who had not a strong will. The petitioners had strong wills, otherwise they would not have continued in the course that they were taking. While he admitted that he had a strong will he could not plead guilty to being unworkable. He had been in Liverpool and in Toronto, Ont., and was 21 years in the ministry and it was the first time that he had been told that he was unworkable. He was willing to submit his case to synod, but if it were a question of victory with the petitioners then to make peace would be hard indeed. It is said that figures do no lie. They should not believe the statement. They were the most notorious of liars. They could be twisted around to suit the occasion. The figures presented by Mr. Ballentyne had thrown a shadow upon affairs, but had the same figures been given by him perhaps they would have been of a roseate hue. He was sorry to see these affairs published in the press. It only threw discredit upon the congregation and upon the church. If petty differences had been put aside matters might have been otherwise. It was strange what small things led up to unpleasant endings. The whole difficulty could be traced to a piece of church gossip, and not true at that. He had been in a state of mental torture for the last three months. Such was his condition of heart and mind that, as he told a friend, it might very soon lead him to Westminster or Ross Bay.

When he was first called to the congregation of St. Andrew's church there were 47 members. And they promised him a stipend of $3500 and now that there were 346 members on the roll the congregation was said to be going back and not able to pay its pastor. God had called him to Victoria in a most remarkable manner. He had never dreamed of ministering in Victoria. He would not leave Victoria until he was satisfied that his usefulness as a minister of the gospel had ceased, and he would take other proof than that presented by the petitioners. Wicked and cruel reports had been circulated about him, and perhaps reports had been circulated about the managers. Reports were things that one could not stop. But he did not feel a vindictive feeling against anyone. Angry he might have been, but notice he could not have toward any made. And in his breast was nothing but kindness and affection even for the petitioners. He was pregared to shake hands with them and to again resume the former pleasant relationship. With these remarks he would leave his case in the hands of the synod, knowing they were guided by the hand of the Almighty.

Dr. Milne, M.P.P., one of the board of managers, said that the statement of Mr. Ballentyne, while perhaps correct as regards the figures, was incorrect as regards the inference drawn. The congregation was in a better condition this year than it had been for some time past. Last year the expenses of the church were nearly $11,000. This year $7300 would cover them. The debt to the Robson estate had been reduced to $40,000. Property had been conveyed to that estate worth $24,000. This alone would considerably cut down the interest. The Robson estate had promised to take one per cent on the remaining debt. This did not look like bankruptcy. The church was never sounder. Mr. Ballentyne had forgotten to mention these facts.

The trouble was not a question of church finances. The old board of management were determined on sweeping out themselves or the pastor, and the pastor was not the one swept out. A proof that it was against the pastor that the war was waged was seen at the time at which it was proposed to pay the pastor $3000. Some member went even so far as to shout out "$1800 is sufficient." That showed how far some people would go to crush a man.

The synod adjourned for dinner.

The case was continued at the reassembling of synod at 8:30 in the evening; the attendance in the evening was large, a goodly number of ladies being present.

Mr. Finlayson—The inconsistency of the petitioners struck him very forcibly. Mr. McLeod had been with the congregation since it was small. He had worked hard and the congregation had increased. Now they proposed to decrease the pastor's salary two-thirds. If the managers had worked as hard as the pastor, the church would not have been in its present difficulties. He hoped the petition would be dismissed. The congregation was well able to afford $3000 for the pastor's salary.

Mr. Robertson then claimed right of reply. There was a discussion on the subject. Some members claimed that the moderator had ruled for one presentment of the case and no reply, others were of a different opinion. A motion was put that one member for each side be given 15 minutes' right of reply. Seven voted affirmative and an equal number in the negative. Moderator Scouller gave his casting vote for the affirmative.

Mr. Robertson stated that Mr. McLeod was not at the funeral of Mr. McConnan.

Mr. McLeod—That is wrong, sir. I conducted the funeral service at the house.

Mr. Robertson—At the graveyard, I mean.

Mr. McLeod—I was requested not to go there as the Masons were burying the deceased.

Mr. Robertson—That is at variance wit what I was told by a friend of Mr. McConnan.

Mr. McLeod—That may be so.

Mr. Robertson—Mr. McLeod had brought up the question at the communion table. If Mr. McLeod had spoken in the pulpit as he spoke here to-day there would have been no difficulty.

Rev. Mr. McLeod replied for the counter-petitioners. His reply consisted in the statement that he would leave the matter entirely in the hands of the Synod, praying God to guide them.

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A CANONICAL WILDERNESS.

The United States to be Brought Still More Securely Under the Rule of Rome.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The plan for raising the fund for erection of a permanent apostolic delegation building in Washington is advancing favorably. Until a few days ago it lacked the approval of the Pope, but as that has now been given the priests having the matter in charge hope to raise the sum of $50,000 for the delegation building and $150,000 to be invested so as to annually yield an income of $6000, the salary allowed to Satolli by the Pope.

If this plan succeeds the Vatican will even then be compelled to pay out annually a large sum for salaries of the auditor and secretary of the delegation, together with many expenses incident to the work of such a delegation. It is known that personally Satolli prefers to make his home at the Roman Catholic university, where he enjoys advantages of study and associations he could not have in a private residence, but as the delegate who succeeds him might prefer to live alone as the purpose is to honor the delegation rather than the man, it is thought best to build a commodious structure worthy of the rank of the delegate, where the offices, library and court room of the delegation may be under the same roof as the private apartments of the delegate and the other officials connected with the delegation.

The site has not yet been selected. In this connection it is said that the Roman Catholic church will soon have a code of laws for its government in this country, the most complete and perfect that any land has ever had imposed upon it. For years the United States has been known as a canonical wilderness, but the time is near when it will be known as the model Roman Catholic country of the globe. It is understood that the main object of Satolli's remaining here will be to perfect this canonical system for the future rulings of the church in this country with the holy see.

The plan for raising the necessary amount for the building and the salary of the delegate would now include all the American archbishops and bishops, as well as priests. The first member of the Roman Catholic hierarchy to respond, except Bishop Ryan of Buffalo, who consented to be treasurer of the fund, is Cardinal Gibbons, who has sent a letter and subscription to the treasurer. In his letter, the cardinal says that the project meets with his warm approval, and he has reason to believe that the holy father will be delighted in witnessing the clergy and people of the United States testifying in this substantial manner their veneration and love for the apostolic delegation.

The Marine Hospital.

On Friday, 24th February, in the Senate Mr. McDonald enquired if it was the intention of the Government to put the Marine Hospital at Victoria in such a state of repair as will afford more comforts to the patients and better accommodation for medical men attending the hospital, and whether it was the intention to introduce a good supply of water without delay? Also, whether any change was contemplated in the present mode of feeding the patients? Mr. Macdonald said it was well known that the hospital was in a very bad and uncomfortable condition, and required immediate attention and a supply of good water. He had no hesitation in asking that this work be done, as the institution was more than self-supporting. The sick mariners' fund produced an income last year of $6450 and the expenses were $2400 only, so that there are ample funds for repairs. Mr. Bowell replied that the hospital was to be put in a thorough state of repair, with more comforts for patients and more convenient facilities for medical men to attend to their patients, that bathrooms, closets and modern appliances were to be introduced and a good supply of water would be laid on without delay.

Dined at Government House.

The following gentlemen received invitations to dine with His Honor the Lieut.-Governor last evening: Hon. Theodore Davie, Hon. J. H. Turner, Hon. Col. James Baker, Mr. Henry Croft, M.P.P., Mr. C. B. Sword, M.P.P., Mr. I. B. Nason, M.P.P., Mr. T. E. Kitchen, M.P.P., Mr. James Punch, M.P.P., Rev. Canon Beanlands, Hon. A. N. Richards, Hon. J. S. Helmcken, Dr. I. W. Powell, Mr. A. G. Smith, D.A.G., Mr. William Wilson, Mr. F. H. Worlock, Mr. A. P. Cummins and E. A. Jacob.

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Messrs. T. M. McLeod, E. Applewaite and A. J. Marks have applied to have applied to have Nelson incorporated as a city. Messrs. W. H. Whittaker, Sibree Clarke, M. D., R. E. Smith, James Vair, M. P. Gordon and H. McCutcheon have made a similar application for Kamloops.

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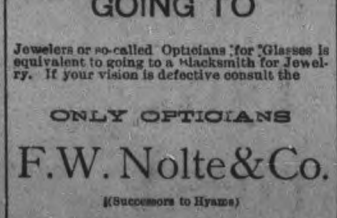

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Dated the 4th day of February, 1893.

WILLIAM GORDON STEVENSON.
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, for the transfer to Robert Dudgeon and Harry Brice, of the license now held by us for the sale of liquors by retail upon the premises known as the American Hotel, situate upon Yates Street, in the city of Victoria.

Dated the 31st day of January, 1893.

W. J. HAMBLY,
ja31-1m F. W. GILBERT.

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Dated this 6th day of February, 1893.

td FREDERIC JAMES DAWLEY.

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VALPARAISO, March 3.—The federals have one thousand armed men outside of the city of San Unigo, and they propose to make a dash into the city. There has been fighting outside Santa Ana which has been favorable to the federal troops. In the besieging army there were 3000 armed men, while the defenders of the city numbered only 1000. More defections from the government troops have been reported. The 60th cavalry, stationed at Artigas, went over to the federals in a body.

Troops sent in pursuit of General Tavarez have returned to Bage. Tavarez is on the road to Santa Ana to assist Saravia. It is reported that the federals in Santa Ana are short of arms and are setting fire to the property of the Castilhistas.

News has been received announcing the fall of San Peduto. The federals under General Tavarez took the city in the engagement, and 300 of the government troops were killed. Recruits are being hurried from all parts of the province of both armies. Atrocious cruelties are reported on the part of General Isadoro, one of the government officers, who kills women and children as a sort of pastime.

BUENOS AYRES, March 3.—President Pena refuses to interfere in the Catamaxa case and declares the governor of the province will be sustained. A caucus of deputies was held before the opening of the congress at which it was resolved to oppose the government. It is thought that the defeat of the present administration is inevitable. A revolution has again broken out in Corrientes; this time the leader of the opposition is not known, but it is learned that they have obtained arms and artillery pieces. The federal government has ordered a further investigation into the state of the province.

The government has been offered an armored turret vessel with Canet guns for coast defences.

The German war ship Marie has sailed for Valparaiso.

Commerce in the city of Valparaiso is paralyzed owing to the very low rate of exchange. A meeting of merchants has been held to consider the situation. Their careful enquiries fail to elicit the cause of the fall, but it is attributed to speculation.

"AN AWFUL PERCENTAGE!"

Out of every one hundred persons engaged in business eighty-five per cent. fail and three per cent. go crazy. This is an awful percentage for business men to fight against; it is enough to make even a farmer pause before trading his farm for a store. The public sympathy is with those that fail, but it is curious to know what becomes of the other two, we are happy to say that they are alive and doing well. We are the other two, russell and mcdonald, spared for all wise purposes of supplying the Victoria public with bargains; we are loaded with them come and see us.

Of Use to Riflemen.

An Ottawa paper says: "There was exhibited at yesterday's meeting of the D.R.A., a wind-gauge attached to the ordinary rifle sight which found favor in the eyes of every marksman who saw it. It is the invention of Senator McInnes, who, last summer after wrestling with the homely devices generally used, set his ingenuity to work to devise something more reliable, as a result the Senator invented a sliding "V" sight, worked along a graded bar by means of a tangent screw. The new attachment, which can be readily affixed to any rifle, combines simplicity with absolute accuracy of adjustment."

Liberation of Serfs.

NEW YORK, March 3.—This is the anniversary, under the British calendar, of the liberation of the Russian serfs, and the sons and daughters of the Muscovy are keeping holiday today in honor of the event. To-night the revolutionary circle will give a ball in commemoration of the anniversary.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

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Tax Collector Wanted.

The Corporation of the City of Victoria invite tenders from persons to collect the Revenue Tax, Road Tax and Dog Tax, by commission, for the year 1893, subject to the regulations of the Treasurer's Department.

Collections to be paid daily to the Treasurer.

The successful applicant will be required to furnish bonds in the sum of $5,000 by some guarantee society to be approved of by the City Treasurer.

Each person tendering must name the society providing security and the rate of commission to be charged.

The tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before Wednesday, the 8th day of March, instant, at 4 p.m.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, March 3rd, 1893.

Public Meeting.

In accordance with a resolution of the City Council, a Public Meeting will be held on Monday, the 6th inst., in the Council Chambers, City Hall, to consider the Songhees Indian Reserve question.

By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

Victoria, B.C., March 3, 1893.

WARNING.

Notice is hereby given that all parties are warned against trespassing or purchasing any part of the lands comprised in the following pre-emption records on Campbell River or Duncan's Bay, about the so-called town of Duluth, as all the following parties, or persons purchasing therefrom, are trespassers. We are informed that some of these persons have had a portion of the land surveyed as townsite and are endeavoring to impose the lots on the public.

Name.	No. of P. R.	Date.	Acreage.
F. Nurms	222	4th September, 1889	160
M. Phipps	176	17th December, 1889	160
A. J. Galergno	514	7th October, 1891	160
Brown & Crawford	558	7th December, 1891	320
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